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2 FIREMEN KILLED BY FALLING BAG MATERIAL

ALLIES SAID TO REJECT FIUME STAND TAKEN BY PRESIDENT

Paris Paper Says Premiers of England and France Have Drafted Reply That Jugo-Slavia Must Accept Compromise or Treaty of London Will Go Into Effect.

LONDON AND PARIS SAY SITUATION IS SERIOUS

White House Officials State Wilson Note Declares U. S. Will Not Participate in Adriatic Settlement as Now Planned by Allies.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—Up to noon today the reply of the Allied Supreme Council to President Wilson's note relative to the proposed Adriatic compromise had not been dispatched to Washington. It was learned after a meeting of the council today.

Meanwhile the President's action is being treated as a sensational development by the London Press.

PARIS, Feb. 16.—Prompt rejection of President Wilson's objections to the compromise agreement by which England, France and Italy hoped to settle with Jugo-Slavia, questions relative to the future status of the Eastern coast of the Adriatic, is reported in the Echo de Paris. Premiers Lloyd George of Great Britain and Millerand of France drafted the reply to the American chief executive and insisted Jugo-Slavia must agree to the compromise, with the alternative of seeing the treaty of London become operative, it is said.

At the same time the Premier's reply was sent to Washington. The Foreign Minister of Jugo-Slavia was notified, the viewpoint of the British and French Governments had not been altered by the seemingly unexpected action of Mr. Wilson.

Contents of the Wilson note have not been made public here. He is said, however, to have given intimation that the United States would "find it impossible to continue to concern itself on European affairs" if the allies proceeded to settlement of the Adriatic problem without consulting the United States. It is said the President entered serious objection to the ultimatum sent to the Belgrade Government Jan. 20, and declared it differed from the program framed by Premier Lloyd George and Clemenceau, with the assistance of an American representative, last December.

Belgrade Cabinet Resigns.

While not connected with the situation resulting from the Wilson note, a cabinet crisis has arisen at Belgrade. The ministry led by Premier Danilovich resigned yesterday, announcing stating this step was the sequel of the refusal of Prince Regent Alexander to dissolve the present provisional Parliament and call for the election of a constituent assembly. It is probable this situation will still further delay settlement of the Adriatic problem.

Mr. Wilson's charges against Italy are rejected by Premier Lloyd George and Millerand. It is said by the Echo de Paris, which declares they asserted in their reply that Italy threw all her weight into the war and fought for high ideals. The number of Italian dead is recalled in one section of the reply.

While thus replying to Mr. Wilson, Lloyd George, acting as president of the conference, wrote Mr. Trumbull, Jugo-Slav premier. Minister, informing him that England and France maintained their original viewpoint.

Viewed as Excessive.

Commenting on President Wilson's note the Journal says it was "a large paving stone in the conference pond." This aptly sums up the trend of French opinion. There is no attempt to disguise the fact that the incident creates a serious situation. England and France, according to the newspapers here, are "piled on between the devil and the deep sea."

Although Mr. Wilson's attitude is

FAIR TONIGHT AND TOMORROW; RISING TEMPERATURE

THE TEMPERATURES.	
1 a. m.	10
4 a. m.	9
7 a. m.	8
10 a. m.	7
1 p. m.	6
4 p. m.	5
7 p. m.	4
10 p. m.	3

Highest yesterday, 18 at 4 p. m.; lowest, 5 at 6 a. m.

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Fair tonight and tomorrow; rising temperature; the lowest tonight will be about 14.

Missouri: Generally fair and warmer tonight and tomorrow.

Stage of the river at 7 a. m., 4.5 feet, a fall of 1 foot.

COLD WAVE COVERS STATES EAST OF MISSISSIPPI RIVER

Killing Frosts Felt in Northern Florida and Georgia—Moderation Soon Expected.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Another cold wave gripped the eastern portion of the country today, extending from Canada to the Gulf and from the Atlantic to the Mississippi River. At the Weather Bureau it was said that the low temperatures would be of short duration, however. The forecaster predicted that temperatures would begin to moderate tonight in the Ohio Valley and the upper lake region and would continue to moderate in those districts and in the East and Gulf Middle Atlantic states Tuesday.

Near freezing temperatures were registered along the Gulf Coast as far west as the Mississippi River this morning, with killing frosts in Northern Florida and Georgia. In the Middle Atlantic, Middle Western and New England states, thermometers registered well below freezing and in places below zero. High winds added to the discomfort.

Except in the New England states, Northern New York and some points in the Middle West, where snow was falling, the weather was clear over the eastern part of the country.

RAYMOND A. WALSH NAMED ST. LOUIS COUNTY COURT JUDGE

Secretary of Federated Roads Organization Succeeds Late William Buermann.

Raymond A. Walsh of University City, secretary of the Federated Roads Organization, formed several months ago by Harry B. Hawes, today was appointed by Gov. Gardner as a member of the County Court of St. Louis County to succeed Judge William Buermann, who died last week. The appointment was announced by the Governor after Hawes had had a conference with him.

Walsh, through his association with the Hawes organization, has taken an active part in urging expenditure of the \$3,000,000 county road bond issue for hard surface roads and has opposed expending any large part of the money for dirt roads in outlying districts. As judge of the court, Walsh will receive \$5 a day for each day court is in session and \$1200 a year as a road commissioner. The court usually is in session two days each week.

Walsh's term will expire immediately after the November election. Judges elected when the Bullitt testimony was given are officially canvassed.

16-DAY-OLD GIRL AND NOTE LEFT IN UNION STATION

A 16-day-old baby girl, clad in silk baby clothes, was found this afternoon lying on a bed in the women's rest room in Union Station by Policewoman Mary Gibson.

A suitcase had been deposited alongside the bed. In it was a letter addressed: "To the Minister of the Christian Church." It was stated in the letter that the child had been born of wealthy parents on Feb. 1, that the father had died three months previously and that the mother recently had died. It asked that a "good home" be found for the baby. The envelope contained \$25 in currency.

The child was in excellent spirits and at the City Hospital was pronounced physically sound and healthy.

Elihu Root 75 Years Old.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Elihu Root, former Secretary of State, celebrated his seventy-fifth birthday at his home here yesterday. Mr. Root was the guest last night at a dinner given in his honor by Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University. Telegrams of congratulation were read from prominent men and women in every section of the country.

WILSON-LANSING BREAK TRACED TO VIEWS ON LEAGUE

Secretary Said to Have Wired President, on Western Tour, Admitting Bullitt's Story to Senators Was True

WILSON HAD THOUGHT DIFFERENCES HEALED

Incident Just Before His Return to Capital Sick Given to Show Unsympathetic Feeling Between Men.

By the Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—As additional details of the dramatic break between President Wilson and Secretary of State Lansing become known, there is disclosed an amazing story of a secret, silent feud between them waged for months with ever increasing bitterness.

It is possible today, by piecing together revelations from trustworthy sources, to give the broad outline of that story.

The letters of the President and Lansing truly indicate that they were on the verge of a break in Paris. There was, however, no open rupture and, in explanation of this fact, it is stated that the President, when intimations of Lansing's dissatisfaction with the peace treaty were first made, went out of his way to sit with the American commissioners and remove the impression that Lansing was being slighted.

The President came back in the latter part of June, followed by Lansing, to the summer of Lansing. From the time of the Secretary's return, and through August, the relations between the two are described as having been most intimate and friendly. Virtually every day Lansing communicated with the President in person or by note.

The first outward sign of serious disagreement between them came in the early part of September, when Lansing delivered a speech before the American Bar Association in Boston, in which he declared for a court of international justice. By some observers that speech was taken as a veiled attack on the League of Nations.

A newspaper man, it is related, to whom had been given an advance copy of the speech, went to Lansing and said:

"Mr. Secretary, don't you know that if you make that speech you will be putting yourself on record against the league of nations?"

Whether the President noticed this speech, or if he did, what was his reaction toward it, is not known. But shortly thereafter, came the sensational testimony of William C. Bullitt, formerly connected with the American Peace Mission, before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

Bullitt, it will be recalled, testified that Lansing, in a conversation with him (Bullitt), in Paris, expressed disagreement with the President of the league of nations, and said that the treaty was not to be ratified if the American people could be made to realize its import.

For Bullitt, at that time, there was widespread condemnation for having violated a confidence. Sympathy was expressed for Lansing on account of the awkward position in which he was placed by the revelations.

President Then in Mist.

The President was then at the very pinnacle of his effort to bring peace opinion to bear on the Senate in favor of speedy ratification of the treaty without change. The impression was strong in Washington that Lansing would resign. But Lansing did not resign. He had gone to his home in New York State on a fishing trip, and when the Bullitt testimony was given he neither confirmed nor denied it.

About 10 days or two weeks later, according to information gained today, Lansing sent to the President, in a letter, a copy of the Bullitt testimony in which he confirmed what Bullitt had said and fixed the date of the conversation with him. That such a telegram was sent or received has not before been published. Very few persons knew anything about it.

The story now goes—and there is every reason to give it credence—that the telegram was sent, and that it caused the strongest emotion in the President.

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FEW RIDE UPPER DECKS OF BUSES IN ZERO WEATHER

Cold Causes Falling Off in Traffic—25,110 Passengers Carried First Week.

Upper-deck travel on the new motorbuses, at 7 to 9 degrees above zero, was the form of winter sport enjoyed by some—not very many—St. Louisans this morning. The fresh air passengers were heavily bundled, and said they liked the ride. Heat is furnished on the inclosed lower deck.

The low temperatures of Saturday and yesterday caused the bus traffic on those days to be less than on previous days since the service was installed last Monday. Saturday's number, according to officials of the Missouri Motor Bus Co., was 2300, and yesterday's number was 1500. The approximate total of passengers in the first week of operation, ending last night, was 25,110.

"VICE PRESIDENT DOESN'T COUNT" MARSHALL SAYS

Tells of Hearing Woman on Train Say "There Was No One Between Wilson and Lansing."

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 16.—Vice President Thomas R. Marshall, who came here last night to speak at the banquet of the Fayette County Bar Association, was asked about the Wilson-Lansing incident.

"I had nothing particular to say about it," said the Vice President, with a twinkle in his eye. "It doesn't affect me. I guess I can explain my relation to this incident best by telling you something that happened while Mrs. Marshall and I were on the train en route to Uniontown. A couple sitting in front of us had been reading this latest news from Washington and they were discussing it very earnestly. The man seemed to believe President Wilson had been deceived, but his companion heatedly expressed the view that Secretary Lansing could have followed no other course than he had through-out."

"Why, what else could Mr. Lansing have done?" she asked "with some asperity." "Here the President was sick, a lot of big questions had to be talked over and there was the Vice President, who doesn't amount to anything. The only thing he could do, I tell you, was to call those cabinet meetings, and I think Mr. Lansing did just the right thing."

U. R. MUST PAY JUDGMENTS FOR \$38,373 AGAINST OLD COMPANY

Supreme Court Holds It Is Liable in Action Against St. Louis Transit Co.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 16.—The Supreme Court today, by a vote of 3 to 2, held that the United Railways Co. must pay \$38,373 of judgments rendered against the St. Louis Transit Co., for personal injuries accrued during the operation of cars by the Transit company under a lease from the United Railways Co.

The judgment was rendered in favor of James B. Johnson, who had brought suit against the United Railways Co., which had been held liable by the directors of both companies for the Transit company's assets had been consumed without paying the judgment, and that the United Railways Co., which had profited extensively by the disposition of the Transit company's assets, should be held for the judgment.

Wilson Cramer was called in to sit as special Judge, and wrote the opinion. The case was argued by J. Edgar Walker, Williams and Williamson, Judges Graves, Blair and Woodson dissented. Judge Goode did not sit.

Johnson, a money lender, has now obtained judgments for a total of \$102,296 against the United Railways Co. by buying up personal injury judgments against the Transit company, and suing the United Railways on them. In 1912, under similar circumstances, the Supreme Court awarded him a judgment for \$32,832. He bought up many of the judgments for 33 1-3 cents on the dollar, lumped them together and filed suit.

MAN DIES, ANOTHER ILL, FROM WOOD ALCOHOL POISONING

George H. Fink, laborer, is Victim, and John Fay Is in Serious Condition at Hospital.

George H. Fink, 37 years old, a laborer, who lived at the Pacific Hotel, Ninth and Market streets, died at the city hospital at 12:30 a. m. yesterday of wood alcohol poisoning.

He was taken to the hospital Saturday night. Papers in his pockets asked that his mother, Mrs. Anna O. Waite of Pennville, Ind., be notified.

John Fay, 61 years old, 810 North Sixth street, is at the hospital in a serious condition as a result of drinking wood alcohol.

ANOTHER SEASON OF DEBATE ON TREATY BEGINS

Lodge Moves for Modification in Withdrawal Reservation While McCormick Attacks Whole Document.

SAYS EUROPE NOW CALLS FOR REVISION

Illinois Senator Declares Demands of Other Countries Present New Reasons Against Ratification.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Consideration of the peace treaty was resumed in the open Senate today by unanimous consent.

Without debate the Senate acceded to the request of Senator Lodge, the Republican leader, that the treaty be taken up.

To start the parliamentary machinery toward a possible compromise, Senator Lodge moved adoption of a modification in the first of the Republican reservations adopted last session and another season of debate began. Senator McCormick, Republican, Illinois, one of the irreconcilable opponents of ratification, began the discussion with a prepared speech attacking the treaty.

The reservation which Senator Lodge moved to modify related to withdrawal from league membership.

Demands in European countries for the revision of the peace treaty form a new reason against American ratification, Senator McCormick declared, in his set speech.

"Reduction of Minimum."

Attempts to revise the Lodge reservations, Senator McCormick said, are an effort for "reduction of the irreducible minimum," while reports of existing and threatened revolts of subject peoples, he said, present additional grounds for disapproval by the Senate of the treaty.

"Here, still dissembling his character, still masking its features, still moving before the pretense that it promises peace," said Senator McCormick, "Senators propose to ratify the treaty and at the very moment when the horrid and spectral truth has appeared in Europe to compel the frightened people to cry out for revision."

"There are many reasons for the growing condemnation of the treaty," he said, "but the most prominent is the growing demand for its revision. I believe that ratification of the United States will not further, but will prevent, either the revision of the treaty of peace with Germany or the substantial amendment of the league of nations."

Both sides of the chamber are known to be pressing their party leaders to accede to some compromise that will insure ratification, while pressure also is being brought to bear by influential men outside the Senate in both political parties.

At the same time the difficulties over article 10 have drawn each side to commit itself in such positive terms that it would be extremely difficult for the leaders, for either materially to change its position. In this situation the best prediction that could be made by Senator Lodge, the Republican leader, was that the treaty would be ratified "if we can get 64 Senators to agree on it."

The Democratic leader, Senator Hitchcock, said he was hopeful that there might be a ratification, though he could not foresee on what terms it would be obtained.

"AIN'T THEY CAUGHT 'IM YET?" COCKNEY ASKS ABOUT GLASS

Londoners Discuss on Street Former Secretary's Stand Against More Loans to Europe.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Secretary of the Treasury Carter Glass' manifestly against granting any further credits to Europe, besides filling columns in his newspaper, shares with the latest developments in the "crime wave" the attention of the man in the street.

This is a scrap of conversation overheard between two London cockneys.

"Wot d'ye think of this 'ere fellow Glass—a blinkin' higrate I call 'im."

"Wot feller Glass?"

"Why, the American Chancellor of the Exchequer—the chap o' says 'e won't lend us no more money."

"Oh, 'im? Well, wot abaht 'im? Ain't they caught 'im yet?"

CASHIER ARRESTED; EMPLOYER SAYS HE IS SHORT \$5000

Maplewood Man Who Quit National City Commission Firm Week Ago Denies There Is Discrepancy.

CHECKS SAID TO HAVE COME BACK

Officer of Concern Says Daily Deposits Stopped Suddenly—Business Has Been Suspended.

By the Associated Press.

Maplewood, Feb. 16.—Cashier of the Bright-Akeman Livestock Commission Co., at the National City Stockyards, was arrested at his home last night at the request of Chief of Police Ely of National City, Ill., and of Michael Bright, a member of the commission firm. Bright said Tyler was responsible for a \$5000 discrepancy in the firm's accounts.

Tyler, who is 34 years old, was taken to police headquarters. He was released on bond after he had made a general denial that there was a discrepancy in his accounts with the firm.

A warrant, charging Tyler with the embezzlement of \$10,000 between July 15, 1919, and Feb. 7, last, was issued this afternoon by Justice of the Peace George Doscher of Brooklyn, Ill. The warrant was sworn to by Chief of Police Ely, who departed to serve it on Tyler at the latter's home.

Money Drawn From Bank.

Bright said that money deposited in a National City bank by the firm had been drawn out by someone. This money was to have been used to pay shippers for cattle sold for them by the commission firm, and checks were sent to the shippers when there were no funds in the bank to meet the checks.

The firm was organized last July with Bright and G. N. Akeman of Columbia, Mo., as the only partners. Tyler, who then lived in Randolph County, Ark., and was a traveling Postoffice inspector, was hired as the firm's cashier.

Deposits Made Daily.

Bright today told a Post-Dispatch reporter Tyler was under a surety company bond until about two months ago, but that the surety company then canceled the bond. He said he did not inquire as to the reason for this. At that time, he said, Akeman prevailed on him to keep Tyler in the firm's employ without bond. Akeman died about six weeks ago.

It was the firm's custom, Bright said, to make daily deposits in the National City Bank of the money for which its customers' cattle was sold. This money was deposited to the credit of country banks which acted as agents for the shippers and it was subject to the draft of these country banks.

Tyler, according to Bright, reported for duty Feb. 7, but went home at noon, saying he was ill. That afternoon several checks marked "no funds" were received in the mail from country customers. These checks, Bright said, were drawn on the National City National Bank and were all signed with Tyler's name. Further investigation, he said, showed that no daily deposits had been made by Tyler for several days and that checks had been mailed to a number of out-of-town customers when there was no money in the bank to meet them.

Business Suspended.

Bright said the discrepancy had forced him to suspend business. In the last few days attachments were served and the firm's office furniture was seized at the instance of creditors. One of these was Herman Schroeder of Marked Tree, Ark., a cattle shipper with a claim for \$1400. Another was Frederick Tuen, an employee of the firm, with a wage claim of \$125.

Assistant State's Attorney Free of East St. Louis said today that several out-of-town shippers had visited his office last week and complained that Bright had not accounted to them for consignments of cattle sent to the stockyards. The shippers, Free said, requested that a warrant be issued against Bright, but the evidence laid before him was not conclusive enough to justify such action.

It was after the complaints of the shippers that Bright complained to Free about Tyler. Free also refused to issue a warrant against Tyler, stating that the evidence was insufficient.

Tyler was not at his home when a Post-Dispatch reporter tried to see him this morning. His wife said he had authorized her to say he was not short in his accounts and had done nothing wrong.

ANOTHER INURED IN BLAZE AT WAREHOUSE ON SOUTH 10TH ST.

Pile of Grass, Held in by Timbers, Topples Over on Fighters From Weight of Water—District Chief John Barry Overcome by Smoke.

Two firemen were crushed and suffocated to death, and a third was seriously injured today at 11:30 a. m. when they were buried beneath 100 bales of water-lugged istle, a grass used in the manufacture of bags, at a fire at the plant of the American Manufacturing Co., 1021 South Tenth street. A fourth, District Fire Chief John Barry, was overcome by smoke.

The dead firemen are:

William Egnerliether, 22 years old, 4417 Lee avenue, a pipeman of Engine Co. No. 22.

Joseph J. Wittgenstein, 26 years old of 961 Hickory street, a pipeman of Engine Co. No. 16.

The injured fireman is Michael Weakley, 22 years old, 1819 Oregon avenue, a member of Engine Company No. 22. His condition is serious, due to exposure. District Chief Barry inhaled a quantity of smoke. Both were unconscious when taken out of the warehouse, but were revived at the city hospital.

ONLY 9 INFLUENZA CASES TODAY, AND 17 YESTERDAY

Health Officials Believe Danger Is Over—Schools Re-open and All Restrictions Are Off.

Nine new cases of influenza were reported to the Health Department for the 24-hour period ending at 9 a. m. today, and 17 for the preceding period, ending at 9 a. m. yesterday. An increase over this number may appear tomorrow, as Sunday reports are usually light, but the officials of the department believe the danger is practically over.

The deaths reported for the 24-hour period ending at noon yesterday numbered eight from pneumonia and five from influenza.

The public and parochial schools reopened this morning, after a two weeks' closing period, and this marked the passing of all the restrictions recently imposed to prevent the spread of influenza, which became prevalent Jan. 18, and which rose as high as 157 new cases in one day.

Eight influenza patients were received at the city hospital during the 48-hour period ending at 8 a. m. today. Four new patients and one death for each day, the lowest since the disease became prevalent.

Two deaths from influenza and pneumonia, and four additional cases of influenza were reported today to the East St. Louis Health Department, making 48 deaths as a result of influenza and a total of 1940 cases since Jan. 1.

Grass Soaked With Water.

The fire was near the top of the piles of istle and the firemen had been pouring water on the top bales for several minutes. The grass absorbed the water so that the weight of the top bales was multiplied many times. The piles thus became top-heavy and one of them toppled.

District Chief Barry and three firemen were handling a hose in the runway at that point. The three firemen were buried, but Barry was not caught. About 100 bales came down. The hands of many broke. The runway was choked 10 feet high.

District Chief Barry and Weakley were taken out after about 30 minutes. Weakley suffered dislocation of two bones of his right forearm and was burned about the face, head and neck. However, the most serious aspect of his condition is that he is suffering from exposure. Water had risen about him to his neck. Chief Panzer said that at one time before his release, Weakley called out: "I'm drowning like a rat."

District Chief Barry, who is about 70 years old and has attended all the big fires in St. Louis in recent years, having been injured in several of them, inhaled smoke and his condition is serious, it was said at the hospital.

Firemen Dig Bodies Out.

Firemen drew out the body of Egnerliether about 12:45 p. m., and five minutes afterward they came upon the body of Wittgenstein. Both bodies were frozen.

Chief Panzer, who was directing the rescue work, was overcome at sight of the bodies and was assisted from the warehouse, tears running down his face.

The rescuers were working in water to their knees, the cold being so intense that they worked in reliefs of about 5 minutes.

No estimate of the amount of property damage could be obtained from the company. The cause of the fire has not been determined.

3 QUEENS AT SERVANTS' BALL

By the Associated Press.

KINGS LYNN, England, Feb. 14.—Three Queens—Dowager Queen Alexandra and Queen Mary of England and Queen Maud of Norway—and several Princes and Princesses of the two royal houses were part of the company attending the servants' ball at Sandringham, Queen Alexandra's home here.

The ball, honoring the servants at Sandringham, was an annual affair in previous days.

SHIPPING BOARD GETS BIDS FOR GERMAN LINERS

Offers Received Despite Protests From Senate—Wilson to Deny Report of Secret Deal With British.

SENATE REQUESTS DELAY OF SALE

\$4,000,000 Offered for the Leviathan and \$3,050,000 for George Washington—Suit Under Advisement.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Despite protests voiced in the Senate and elsewhere and court proceedings designed to stay the action, the Shipping Board today received bids for the 30 former German liners.

The morning session of the auction closed with a total of \$22,330,000 offered for 21 vessels. The individual top bids were \$14,050,000 by the International Mercantile Marine for nine ships for service to the United Kingdom and Northern Continental ports; a bid of \$13,100,000 by the same corporation for six vessels for service to Hamburg and Bremen; \$4,000,000 offered by Moore and McCormack for five ships for South American service and the Oriental Navigation Co.'s bid of \$700,000 for the Black Arrow individually for Black Sea service.

When the ships first were offered by groups in the services in which the board had planned originally to operate them, no bids were received, but spirited bidding developed later for individual vessels or selected groups to run in specified services.

While the bidding was in progress these developments came:

Associate Justice Bailey of the District Supreme Court took under advisement the application of William Randolph Hearst of New York, for an injunction to stop the sale of the vessels. He will give a decision Friday.

White House officials announced that President Wilson would inform the Senate emphatically that there was "no basis" for reports that there was a secret agreement between the Shipping Board and the British interests for the sale of the vessels.

Information as to this report is asked in a resolution by Senator Brandegee, Republican, Connecticut.

Board Asked to Defer Sale.

The Shipping Board was requested by the Senate to defer sale of the German ships for which bids had been submitted, until some definite Senate action is taken on the subject.

The Senate again debated the sale, with Senators Ashurst and McKellar, Democrat, Tennessee, seeking to put the Senate on record as opposing the sale.

In opening the auction Scott read a memorandum from Chairman S. S. Franklin of the International Mercantile Marine, George W. Goethals of the American Ship and Commerce Co., A. V. Moore of the Moore and McCormack Co., and Philip Beron of the Oriental Navigation Co.

The first vessels offered were the Black Arrow, the Amphion and the Philippines, composing the group of the Black Sea service. No bids were offered for them.

The group composing the South American service, the Aeolus, De Kalb, Princess Matoka and Fochantia, was then offered.

Franklin offered a conditional bid of \$14,050,000 for nine vessels for service to the United Kingdom and Northern European ports.

Leviathan Included in Bid.

The vessels covered by the bid were the Leviathan, George Washington, America, President Grant, Nansamond, Antione, Pochontas, Princess Matoka and Callio. The offer was conditional upon an agreement by the Shipping Board not to enter into competition with these vessels in this service.

Moore and McCormack offered \$3,050,000 for five vessels, for the South American service, and the Munson Steamship Line a conditional bid, approximating \$3,850,250 for the same vessels, the Martha Washington, Aeolus, Huron, Princess Matoka and the Pochontas.

W. Goethals offered \$10,000,000 for six vessels for the Hamburg and Bremen service, the bid being quick-ly raised to \$10,500,000 by President Franklin. The vessels are the George Washington, Martha Washington, Bremen, President Grant, Nansamond and Callio.

Sharp Bidding on Vessels.

Sharp bidding on these six vessels

No Easy Roads to Success, Says New Frisco President

James M. Kurn, Who Began Railroad Career at 14, Declares Only Recipe Is Hard Work and Constant Study.

James M. Kurn of 5644 Westminster place, who after completing a grade school course began his railroad career at the age of 14 as a telegraph operator and who last week, at the age of 56, was elected president of the Frisco Railroad, says that the only real recipe for success is hard, untiring work.

"And never stop working," he adds, "There is no top. No man ever reaches the pinnacle; there is always something just ahead."

He returned yesterday from a tour of inspection over the Frisco lines in Texas. At his home he said to a Post-Dispatch reporter that there were no easy roads to success, and that constant study and application to one's chosen work were the contributing factors to final prosperity.

He quit school because there was urgent need for money in the Kurn family at the time, but he did not cease studying. Down in the lonely railroad station, night after night, after the last "local" had stopped and there was a lull between arrivals and departures, he studied the books which he obtained from the public libraries of nearby large cities. And the majority of these books related to railway affairs and management.

Dreamed of Rescuing Trains.

"You see," he remarked whimsically, "I was like other boys who hang around railroad stations. I dreamed of rescuing trains from wrecks, perhaps of saving the life of the president or some other feat which would cause them to recognize me and I wanted to be prepared if they made me general superintendent or even president."

Kurn is entering on his new "job," which will begin when the railroad is returned to the company by the Government on March 1, with all the enthusiasm which one would expect from a man who all his life has had wonderful visions—visions which he is not prepared to become practical realities.

He plans big things for the Frisco and says he will not for a moment be satisfied with having that road one of the best. It must be "the best." With this in view he has mapped out a tentative program of expansion and improvement which he believes will place the system at the very front of American railroads.

But he says the plans are of a magnitude calculated to impress the railway world when they are finally put into effect. He believes there must be constant progress, and changes need to be made to keep pace with the times.

No Reduction in Wages.

"There will be no reduction in wages in any department of the Frisco system after it is returned to private control," Kurn stated emphatically. "So long as the present high cost of living continues, it would be folly to even think of reducing salaries or wages. Every man who works is entitled to more than a living wage, he should be paid enough that he may lay aside something each month for the rainy days which none of us escape. And it will be the policy of this system to treat its employees with consideration."

He paid high tribute to the men associated with him in the management of the Frisco, of which he has been general manager for the last two years under Government control.

"I shall give a square deal to everybody," he said.

Following Gen. Goethals and Franklin, the offers going up in \$100,000 and \$200,000 jumps. Franklin's bid reaching \$11,600,000. Franklin and Gen. Goethals hurriedly increased their bids to \$12,000,000 at each other until Gen. Goethals' original offer of \$10,000,000 had been raised by Franklin to \$13,100,000.

Gen. Goethals said \$13,000,000 was the limit to which he was authorized to bid.

Commissioner Scott announced the top offers received by the board in the proposals offered a week ago, of which were rejected. Among the offers were: \$10,000,000 for the Black Arrow; for the Mount Vernon, \$1,250,000; for the Nansamond, \$900,000; for the George Washington, \$3,050,000; Martha Washington, \$2,150,000; Von Steuben, \$727,529; America, \$2,300,000; President Grant, \$2,250,000; Susquehanna, \$800,000; Antione, \$1,200,000; and Artemis, \$1,000,000.

One bid for one of the Black Sea fleet was received. It was \$700,000 for the Black Arrow and was made by the Oriental Navigation Co., with the understanding that the vessel would be retained in the Black Sea service.

Commissioner Scott stated that the board insists upon assurances that vessels would remain permanently in the services planned by the board, but he admitted that the board could not put permanent restrictions upon the use of the craft.

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Talked to "An Outsider."

The date, fixed by Lansing as that on which he had talked to Bullitt—and this was a fact that bore



JAMES M. KURN.

every employee and in return I know I shall receive a square deal from the employer," said he. "I have great confidence in the American laborer. You see I am one of them. For being a railroad president is just as much a laborer's job as being a telegraph operator. The only difference is that I now have a bit more territory, perhaps more responsibility and a trifle greater salary."

The new president will not go outside his own system to find his aids. "All officers will remain with us," said he, "and I intend that promotions shall be made from within our own ranks. I believe that in that way greater efficiency may be obtained, for the men who are with the road have its interests at heart and it lies with them to achieve our goal, that of making the word Frisco a synonym for perfection in railroad operation."

Looks for Increased Rates.

Asked whether there would be increased railroad rates, Kurn answered without hesitation, "I do not see how that can well be avoided. I should like very much to answer that question negatively. But the only relief lies in higher rates. Rates are away up—and they should be to meet present conditions; all materials have doubled and even freight in cost and the railroads must increase their rates to make a fair return on their investments to the stockholders."

He said that in 1919 in round figures the detailed tabulation not being at hand, the Frisco made a profit for the Government of one and a half million dollars and that its business increased by leaps and bounds, much faster than that of any other railroad operating in the South and Middle West.

"The future of all railroads depends on legislation," he stated, "the railroads are not what they should be. There has been no expansion, no extension of improvements since the war began. They have been retarded by restrictions which were necessarily put into effect. Their motive power, equipment and holdings are not up to standard."

Building Up to Begin.

"There has been no building up of the roads during the war period. There could not well be. The tracks of the Frisco are in just as good condition as they were under the fact remains. It has been a hard struggle, but the tide has turned."

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Three Precincts in Harrison County, Missing Until Today, Give Each Candidate 56 Votes.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, Mo., Feb. 16.—Complete unofficial returns from the Third Congressional District special election for Congressmen Saturday, gave Capt. J. L. Milligan, Democrat, 13,948, and John E. Frost, Republican, 12,012, a majority for Milligan of 1936. It is not believed the official count will materially change these figures.

Three precincts of Harrison County which were not reported until this afternoon, although all the remainder of the returns were in Saturday night, did not change the majority than announced, adding 56 votes each to Milligan and Frost's totals.

The 1918 election Joshua W. Alexander, the Democratic candidate, received 15,910 votes and Frost, Republican, 14,117, a majority for Alexander of 1793.

The total vote Saturday was 46,677. Less than the 1918 vote, the loss being about the same for both parties, and was 14,000 less than the 1916 vote, when the Democratic ticket received a majority of 3500.

Milligan Election Shows People Are Tired of G. O. P., Cummings Says.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Election of Capt. Jacob L. Milligan, Democrat, and Joshua W. Alexander, Republican, over John E. Frost, Republican and league opponent, in Saturday's contest in the Third Missouri Congressional District, was hailed by Chairman Cummings of the Democratic National Committee in a statement last night as disclosing "that the people are thoroughly dissatisfied with the present leadership of the Republican organization."

President Wilson yesterday received a telegram from E. H. Moyer of Jefferson City, Mo., as follows: "Missouri's 'show-me' district, the Third, indicates its loyalty and its commendation of your administration by a majority for Milligan of 1936. I desire to express to you my pleasure and sincere congratulations."

Chairman Cummings in a formal statement said: "Advocates of prompt ratification of the treaty of Versailles have been heartened and obstructed by the election to Congress Saturday in the Third Missouri District of Capt. Jacob L. Milligan, the Democratic nominee."

A clear-cut issue over the league of nations was presented. The question was thoroughly debated in a campaign extending over several weeks. The result is unmistakable from the gratifying endorsement of the President's position, the election held in the typically mid-western agricultural section disclosed that the people are thoroughly dissatisfied with the present leadership of the Republican organization and are preparing to return to full power in the nation the party that, during the last seven years, has so completely demonstrated its inability to lead the nation through a hard struggle, but the tide has turned."

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THE Adriatic question hinges on possession of certain lands on the eastern shore of the Adriatic Sea.

In a secret agreement between Italy, France and Great Britain, called the Pact of London, made before the United States entered the war, it is generally supposed that Fiume was awarded to the Croats. This is uncertain, however, and the text of the pact has not been made public, but many advantages would accrue to Italy under the agreement.

President Wilson, who showed great interest in Jugo-Slavia during the peace conference, obtained the consent of the powers to the creation of Fiume as a free port under the league of nations. It is this agreement that President Wilson objects. Premier Nitti declared that Jugo-Slavia must either accept this agreement or Italy would insist upon the fulfilling of the terms of the pact of London.

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Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 16.—The Supreme Court on banc today awarded to Caroline J. Pepper, daughter of Adolphus H. Pepper, the title to her home at 4448 Washington boulevard, in a suit brought by her to quiet title.

Her title to the property was contested by Nicholas M. Bell, son-in-law of Adolphus H. Pepper. The testimony showed that Pepper bought the lot for \$3250, and erected upon it a home at a cost of \$55,000. He offered to deed the lot to his daughter, but she refused to accept it. The divorce suit was pending and the signing of the deed was postponed at her request because she feared her title might be affected.

Pepper died without making a deed, but after announcing to a number of persons that he had bought the lot for his daughter, and built the house for her, and that he would deed the place to her when the divorce suit was over. The testimony also showed that she had been in open possession of the property for 13 years when the suit was filed.

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LONDON, Feb. 16.—The resignation of Secretary Lansing is given great prominence in the London morning papers and, in view of the circumstances, is treated as a first-class sensation.

The Daily Telegraph describing it as "an amazing and profound surprise," says: "The affair reveals to the world clearer than any event in recent times how nearly the position of the President approaches absolute personal sovereignty. The ordinary British has often heard that this is so, but the attitude adopted and the language employed by President Wilson in these letters will be something of a revelation to him."

The Daily News regards the affair as a rather manufactured quarrel resulting from the clash of two distinct and irreconcilable ideals.

"The upshot is disastrous enough," it says. "The tragic figure of the sick President fighting alone the battle against foes who seem steadily to multiply as the struggle proceeds may seem to typify the wreck of the world's hope in America as the founder of a new era. It is not really so. The idea to which President Wilson gave form and shape lives on in the minds of the great mass of the American people. We may reasonably deplore the fact that its fruition so far as America is concerned is not yet. The delay is an unmeasured mischief, but to doubt its ultimate victory is not merely to misunderstand and slander the American people. It is to make victory longer and harder and more uncertain."

The Times hopes "the manifest return of President Wilson to active control of American affairs may be taken as welcome proof of his complete restoration in health, and, although all allied statesmen and diplomats who have worked with Secretary Lansing will keenly regret his resignation, they feel it is primarily, if not entirely, an American domestic concern."

This newspaper comments at some length on Mr. Wilson's note on the Adriatic question. It believes the American position is substantially right, and thinks the note should have caused some perturbation among members of the Supreme Allied Council, "whose recent proceedings have not always appeared inspired by right and fidelity to principle."

Council Urged to Be Careful.

The council is urged to draft its reply carefully for "the allied peoples would scarcely forgive them were they guided by aught but the most conciliatory wisdom." It is pointed out that the allies need not be alarmed by the note, but that it is a warning to the President Wilson's view that he may be unable to seek ratification of the peace treaty or further interest himself in the European settlement, the Times adds.

We do not consider participation by the United States in the outstanding problems of peace as the absolute sine qua non of the restoration of order in the world, but we are persuaded that in the highest interests of Europe, the United States and humanity, continued cooperation by America is desirable, as an infusion of the great force of American idealism into the affairs of the world."

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Film Actor Killed in Plane.
NAPLES, Feb. 16.—Signor Polidor, an actor and writer, was killed in an airplane crash here today while making a motion picture film.

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MARSHALL GIVES VIEWS ON PLANKS FOR PLATFORM

Vice President, Said to Be Slated to Head Drafting Committee, Outlines Ideas of Party's Stand.

ENTERS RACE TO BE DELEGATE AT LARGE

Declares Peace and Prosperity of American Republic Rest on Ancient Democratic Doctrines.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Vice President Marshall, in a letter to E. G. Hoffman of Fort Wayne, Ind., secretary of the Democratic National Committee, announces his candidacy as a delegate-at-large from Indiana to the coming San Francisco convention upon "an old-time Democratic platform."

"I have watched in other countries the efforts for so-called unbridled democracy," the Vice President wrote, "and I have seen its menace in this country, until I am quite convinced that the peace, prosperity and perpetuity of the American republic must rest finally upon a few ancient and time-honored Democratic doctrines."

In view of political gossip that Vice President Marshall is slated to become chairman of the Democratic Platform Committee, his letter was read with special interest by officials here.

"Another presidential campaign impends," Mr. Marshall wrote. "Thus far the President, who is the chief of our party, has not deemed it expedient to express his opinion as to what the issues will be. As I am desirous of being a delegate-at-large from Indiana, I wish, in consonance with what I hope has been my entire public career, to state the substance of what I think the Democratic party should stand for. I would not want to go under any misapprehension as to my views upon the part of the unfaltering Democrats of Indiana."

"Ready to Defend War Course." "We were in the war from the very moment of its European beginning, because it affected our internal affairs. All of the methods and measures adopted for the preservation of the peace of our country and the winning of the war met with my approval and I am ready to defend them."

"The war is now over and the rehabilitation of America, as well as the rest of the world is taking place. It is not possible to accomplish our rehabilitation other than through the instrumentalities of political parties. How shall the Democratic party propose to rehabilitate the political system of America, if intrusted with power, is the question."

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"No one save God can remove the individual as the unit of good government. Legislative efforts to produce justice and good order in society by listening and acceding to the demands of persons and classes will in the hour of peace provide failure. The only sure foundation for a stable republic must rest upon the Jeffersonian right to life, to liberty and to the pursuit of happiness."

"Old-Time Democratic Platform." "The Democratic party should stand for this and pledge itself to rebuild the American political structure along this line by clearly dividing its citizens into the law-abiding and law-breaking; making its laws rest equally upon all men; permitting the individual citizen who is honest to succeed by honest methods; giving to no citizen legislative advantage; speedily punishing anyone who unjustly obtains success by crooked and dishonest means; recognizing that this is still a federation of states; demanding that the states discharge the duties of local self-government; resisting the usurpations of the general government, removing corrupt and biased judges, but standing always for obedience to the decrees of court and to constituted authority; insisting that the legislative branch of the Government shall be responsible for the discharge of its duty and serving notice upon it that it cannot skulk behind an alleged executive pledge to discharge the countless officials and innumerable agents made necessary by the war; to administer public affairs along economic lines, even to the point of the veto of every bill carrying not only unnecessary and ill-advised appropriations, but appropriations for the benefit of a few citizens, rather than for the common good; regulating strictly every public utility, and punishing all those seeking to profiteer either personally or through aggregated combinations of men or money; in short, the presentation to the people for their suffrage of a man upon an old-time, Democratic platform, under the principles of which the republic for so many years was contented, prosperous and invincible."

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Look at tongue! Remove poisons from little stomach, liver and bowels—say "California"



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruit taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear. Mother! You must say "California."

WHO Is Vain?
"Everywoman"
Kings Theater, Feb. 22d

A School Teacher's Discovery

May Dolling sat in the empty school room struggling with the monthly report. The averages seemed to be worse each month.

"Why this overtime?" Ann Craven, who taught the same grade, asked. "I am doing reports," May replied. "They are terrible, but I don't think it's altogether my fault. I can't help being sick and substitute teachers simply can't get the work out of a class."

"That is true," Ann said as she came in. "But I don't see why you are sick so much." "Neither do I, but I have one cold after another," May complained. "Well, I had the same trouble until I found a remedy," Ann told her. "With a little care you can keep a cold from getting a start. I found that Weeks' Break-Up-A-Cold Tablets not only rid you of one cold, but they prevent others."

"Oh, I have no faith in cold tablets," May asserted. "They always make one feel dull and doped." "Nonsense," Ann retorted tartly. "It's plain you have never tried Weeks' Break-Up-A-Cold Tablets. They are different. They stimulate your child-fighting strength and you fight off a cold naturally. That's what our druggist told me. He recommended them."

"Well, if that is true I certainly must get a box," May said with interest. "Where can you buy them?" "At any druggist's for twenty-five cents," Ann replied. "In fact, on Weeks', though, because they contain a vegetable laxative instead of calomel. At the very first sign of a sneeze start taking them. I'll warrant you won't be out another day with a cold."

SURE RELIEF

6 BELL-ANS Hot Water Sure Relief FOR INDIGESTION

MARSHALL'S AND BRYAN'S VIEWS ON DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM

Continued From Preceding Page.

Bryan Tells What He Hopes Will Be In Platform.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 16.—The Plain Dealer publishes today an interview with William Jennings Bryan, obtained at Miami, Fla., in which the former Democratic candidate for President, names the principal planks he hopes to see incorporated in the Democratic national platform at the San Francisco convention.

Bryan says he does not attempt to dictate, but merely summarizes his beliefs and opinions as a result of his studying the political pulse. He places the more important planks in the following order: Indorsement of the administration of President Wilson; national prohibition, woman suffrage, opposition to endorsed military training, opposition to profiteering, taxation, labor problems, public ownership.

Bryan practically predicted the elimination of Gov. Edwards of New Jersey and soldier candidates on both sides for the presidential nomination.

Bryan declares he has no disposition to suggest in advance planks on which the Democratic convention might be divided. "But there are certain planks which will be in the platform as a matter of course; these I am willing to mention."

Indorsement for Wilson. "There will be a plank indorsing the President's administration," Bryan said. "Not that every member of the party indorses everything the administration has done, but it has been a great administration and the Democrats of the nation would not think of entering the campaign without a repudiation or upon a platform silent on that subject."

"The platform will contain a plank in favor of prohibition as the permanent policy of the country, and our candidate will be pledged to the strict enforcement of the law in letter and spirit. Every state controlled by the Democrats has ratified the national prohibition amendment. It is inconceivable that the Democratic party should defy the conscience of the nation on this subject after having contributed so largely to the prohibition victory."

"There being three states recorded in opposition to national prohibition, we probably shall expect that our candidate for President shall be selected from New Jersey and our candidate for Vice President from Connecticut or Rhode Island, in case our convention goes wet. But we would not be sure of carrying those three states, because conscience may break out there before election."

"Those who talk about a wet plank in our platform do not have an interest in a Democratic victory."

Professors and states. "The platform will strongly declare for woman suffrage, and the convention may be expected to propose effective remedies, national, state and local, for profiteering and the old brother—the draft."

Bryan thought it safe to say that the party will declare against a return to a protective tariff, and will indorse the income tax.

"That is, the Democratic party will oppose the plan of big business on this subject," he said. "Big business and the men of great wealth, the influence that dominates the Republican leaders, will try to shift the burden of taxation to the backs of the poor."

"Labor questions will occupy a large place in our platform. I have no doubt the party will defend the right to organize and to peaceably persuade; declare in favor of an eight-hour day; favor the right of collective bargaining. I also hope the Democratic party will declare in favor of the creation of machinery for the investigation of all disputes between employer and employee that differences may be settled before they reach the strike or lockout stage."

"It is impossible to say at this time how far the convention will go in applying the principle of private monopoly to the telegraph, telephone and railroad problems."

"It is certain the convention will deal with many other subjects like good roads, the middleman and propositions regarding the farmer."

ARCHBISHOP GLENNON WILL SPEAK AT NOONDAY SERVICES

Noonday services in the Old Cathedral, Second and Walnut streets, beginning at 12:25 p. m., have been announced for the Lenten season, which begins Wednesday. Archbishop Glennon will speak at these services daily for the first week, and the speakers in later weeks will be the Rev. Francis H. Skaer, the Rev. Andrew F. Browne, C. S. S. R.; the Rev. J. J. Lonergan and the Rev. James T. Coffey. The congregation will sing during the benediction.

CAMPBELL HUNT, LAST OF OLD RIVER PILOTS, DIES AT 82

Campbell Hunt, who for 55 years was a pilot of Mississippi River steamboats, died yesterday at his home at Portage Des Sioux, Mo. He was 82 years old. When, at the age of 80 he resigned as pilot of the United States light tender Emily after service at her helm of 20 years, it was stated that he was the last of the older river pilots. Previous to his government employment he piloted packet boats in trade out of St. Louis. His death was due to a paralytic stroke.

STIX, BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER

Tuesday—"Economy Day"

(NO MAIL OR PHONE ORDERS FILLED ON ECONOMY ITEMS.)

- Silk Stockings, Pair**
WOMEN'S Drop stitch Silk Stockings in black, white, gray, mouse and dark brown. Semi-fashioned, lisle heels, toes and garter tops. (Main Floor.)
- Children's Stockings**
RIBBED Cotton Stockings, of medium weight, in black or white. Double heels and toes. (Main Floor.)
- Umbrellas, Each**
MEN'S and Women's Umbrellas, strong paragon frame, with covers of good quality gloria cloth. Various styles of handles. (Main Floor.)
- Crochet Laces, Yard**
FLEET Crochet Lace Edges, 4 inches wide, in effective rose pattern. (Main Floor.)
- Veilings, Yard**
TWENTY-FIVE pieces of Face Veilings, fancy and plain meshes, in black, brown, taupe, navy and purple. (Main Floor.)
- Boudoir Slippers, Pair**
WOMEN'S Boudoir Slippers in tan, red, pink, blue or black leather, with silk pompon, hand-turned soles. All sizes. (Main Floor.)
- Girls' Shoes, Pair**
GROWING Girls' High Shoes, in black and brown calfskin, lace style, with Goodyear welt soles. Sizes 2 1/2 to 6. (Main Floor.)
- Women's Shoes, Pair**
BLACK Kid Dress Shoes with high French heels. All sizes. (Main Floor.)
- Pearl Necklaces**
OPERA length (26-inch) graduated French-filled Oriental Pearl Necklaces, with beautiful luster and of a heavy quality, finished with rook torpedo clasp. (Second Floor.)
- Chocolates, Pound**
"SUPREME" Chocolates, assorted, a high-grade candy, ready packed, or you can select your own assortment. (Main Floor.)
- Razor Blades, Dozen**
DOUBLE-EDGE Gillette Safety Razor Blades, 75c One dozen in package and only one dozen to a customer. (Main Floor.)
- Bloomer Rompers**
CHILDREN'S Bloomer Rompers, made of light weight sateen and silk, in open-hanger and green. Ankle length, finished at bottom with wide cuff and two rows of elastic, and elastic waistband. (Second Floor.)
- Women's Bloomers**
MADE of light weight sateen and silk, in open-hanger and green. Ankle length, finished at bottom with wide cuff and two rows of elastic, and elastic waistband. (Second Floor.)
- Women's Petticoats**
THE tops are of deep flounces of changeable taffeta silk, finished with small ruffle. May be had in the new Spring shades and black. (Second Floor.)
- Blouse Camisoles**
SLIP-ON Camisoles, of poplin, in navy of elastic at top, ribbon shoulder straps. (Second Floor.)
- Floor Wax, Pound**
JOHNSON'S prepared Floor Wax, for hard-wood floors. One-pound cans. (Fifth Floor.)
- Electric Irons**
JUST 40 of these Electric Irons, complete with cord and plug—while the lot lasts. (Fifth Floor.)
- Clothes Baskets**
OBLONG shape, made of good grade basket splint, with handles. (Fifth Floor.)
- Cups and Saucers, Set**
SET of six cups and six saucers, of Japanese china, plain white with gold line. (Fifth Floor.)
- Water Tumblers, Dozen**
PLAIN thin-blown Water Tumblers, 8-oz. size. (Fifth Floor.)
- Sunbrite Cleanser, 5 Cans**
SWIFT'S make. Cleans, scour, scrubs and polishes. Buying limit 10 cans. (Fifth Floor.)
- Kitchen Cupboards**
MADE with oak front and elm sides, double-door top, closet lower cabinet base and two drawers. 36 1/2 inches wide. (Sixth Floor.)

Other "Economy Day" Items and News About the February Silk Sale Appears in Today's Star

Economy Sale of Toilet Articles

QUANTITIES restricted to the usual retail requirements. In some instances the quantities are small and not guaranteed to last throughout the day. No mail or phone orders will be accepted. A tax of 1c on each 25c or a fraction thereof on all toilet articles.



- Complexion Powders and Cosmetics**
Twenty - Mule - Team Borax, buying limit 3, 1-pound package, 8c
Lambert's Listerine, buying limit 2, 3-ounce, 17c
7-ounce, 34c
14-ounce, 66c
Carmen Face Powder, all colors, buying limit 2, at, each, 27c
Squibb's Talcum Powder, buying limit 2, at, each, 13c
Revelation Tooth Powder, buying limit 2, at, each, 17c
Arline Talcum Powder, violet or rose, buying limit 3, large box, 10c
Lehn & Fink's Pebecco Tooth Paste—buying limit 2, each, 34c
Palmolive Soap, buying limit 6, at 6 for 45c, cake, 8c
Kirk's Jap Rose Soap, buying limit 6, at 8c cake
Lazell's Talcum Powder, popular odors, buying limit 2, at, each, 11c
Woodbury's Facial Soap, buying limit 3, at, cake, 18c
Pear's Unscented Soap, buying limit 4, at, cake, 11c
- Complexion Powders and Cosmetics**
Imported Poppy Face Powder, 15c
Imported Dora Face Powder, 25c
Sanitol Face Powder, 24c
Stanley's Face Powder, 15c
Palmolive Face Powder, white and brunette, 27c
Lazell's Massata Face Powder, small size, 17c
Lazell's Sweet Pea Powder, large size, 34c
Naomi Face Powder, 39c
Compact Powder, with puff, at 25c
Compact Rouge, with puff, 21c
Dier Kiss Rouge, 39c
Veloute Face Powder, 39c
Java Powder, rose or nardelle, at 23c
Freeman's Face Powder, 39c
Tetlow's Gossamer Powder, 19c
Imported Rice Powder, 30c
- Toilet and Bath Soaps**
Palmer Olive Toilet Soap, 8c cake
Jergen's Toilet Soap, violet, rose or sandal, box of 3 cakes, 20c; 7c cake
Olivillo Toilet Soap, 8c cake
Graham's Castile Soap, with wash cloth, 7c
Kirk's Victory Squares Toilet Soap, 5c cake
Williams' Turkish Bath Soap, 8c cake
Cuticura Soap, 18c cake
Armour's Chateau Soap, at 7c cake
Armour's Glycerine Soap, 7c cake
Jergen's Bath Tablets, at 7c each
Stern's Vegetable Oil Soap, at 8c cake
Yarritt Spanish Castile Soap, 17c cake
Imported Spanish Castile Soap, small cake, 10c
La Primera Castile Soap, at 12c cake
Sweetheart Soap, 7c cake
Life Buoy Soap, 3 cakes, 20c
El Merito Castile Soap, small bar, 30c
Florence Castile Soap, small cake, 27c
Jergen's Violet Glycerine Soap, at 8c cake
Kirk's Juvenile Soap, at 8c cake
- Creams and Lotions**
Soul Kiss Cold or Vanishing Cream, 35c
Sanitol Cold Cream, 20c
Sanitol Face Cream, flesh, 20c
Sanitol Face Cream, white, 23c
Elcava Face Cream, small, 19c; large, 48c
Elcava Cold Cream, 39c
Radiant Cream, small, 17c
Naomi Vanishing or Cold Cream, at 39c
Pinaud's Beautiviva Liquid Powder, 39c
Gourad's Oriental Face Cream, at \$1.19
Woodbury's Facial Cream, 20c
Orchid White at 27c
- Manicure Preparations**
Pumice Stone, 8c
Cuticle Scissors, 50c pair
Corn knives, 39c
Rosaline, for the nails, 21c
Bonny Nail Whiten, 21c
Bonny Nail Paste, 21c
Bonny Shine, for the nails, 21c
- For the Teeth**
Sanitol Tooth Paste, 22c
Cates Cato Tooth Paste, 22c
Dr. Lyons' Tooth Powder, 15c
Pepsodent Tooth Paste, 37c
Kolyon Tooth Paste, 21c
Revelation Tooth Powder, 17c
Pinaud's Dental Cream, 21c
Chlorax Tooth Paste, 39c
Eubymol Tooth Paste, 17c
- Hair Preparations**
Henna, for tinting the hair, 1-oz. box, 10c; 2-oz. box, 15c
Arline Tar Shampoo, 19c
Canute Water, for restoring the hair, 20c
Sanitol Gilt Shampoo, at 19c
Pinaud's Eau de Quinine or Eau de Portogale Hair Tonic, 50c and 90c
McKesson & Robbins' Coconut Shampoo, 25c
Henna San, for tinting the hair, small, 45c; large, 90c
- Talcum Powders**
Reviris Talcum, white or flesh, 19c
Squibb's Talcum, violet or carnation, 13c
Lazell's Talcum, popular odors, at 23c
Jess Talcum, large box, 21c
Palmolive, rose, violet or lilac Talcum, 17c
Squibb's Zinc Stearate Powder, 15c
Meyer Bros. Zinc Stearate Powder, 15c
- Deodorants**
Non-Spy, 35c
Dry-Pitts Lotion, small, 19c; medium, 39c; large, 90c
Odor-O-No, medium size, at 45c
- Shaving Preparations**
Williams' After-Shaving Lotion, at 35c
Williams' Barber Bar, 6c cake
Parke-Davis Euthymol Shaving Cream, 29c
Williams' Shaving Cream or Stick, 23c
- Perfumes and Toilet Waters**
Coty's Toilet Water, odors L'O.R., L'Origan, Jasmin, Chypre, Jacqueminot Rose and El Fleurette, large bottle, \$8.98
Coty's L'O.R. L'Origan or Jacqueminot Rose Perfume, ounce, \$3.95
Grenoville (Paris) new Toilet Waters, odors Bluet, Victrix and Ambre Hindou, bottle, \$4.75
Grenoville Vegetale, odors rose, violet or La Fougere, bottle, \$1.98
Violet (Veeolay) Ambre Royal Toilet Water, bottle, at \$2.25
Kerckoff's Dier Kiss Toilet Water, large size, \$2.25
Kerckoff's Dier Kiss Perfume, ounce, \$1.30
Houbigant's Ideal Toilet Water, ounce, 75c
Breyer (Paris) Mon Bouquet Perfume, ounce, \$2.50
Blue Rose Perfume, small bottle, \$1; large bottle, \$5
Holland Blossom Perfume, at ounce, 75c
Naomi or Waltz Dream Perfume, ounce, \$1.00
Reiger's Garden Queen Perfume, ounce, 75c
Sause Feres Lauris Perfume, ounce, \$2.00
- Armour's Venetian Bath Tablets**
buying limit 6, at, each, 7c
- Remmer's Jumbo Soap**
palm, violet, rose, witch hazel or buttermilk, buying limit 6, large cake, 7 1/2c
- Castile Soap**
buying limit 2, small, 16c; large, 7 1/2c
- Jetum, for restoring and dyeing faded hats**
buying limit 3, at, bottle, 16c
- Amolin, deodorant powder**
buying limit 2, small, 16c; large, 32c
- Peroxide of Hydrogen**
4-oz. bottle, 7c
8-oz. bottle, 13c
16-oz. bottle, 17c
- Armour's Old English Elder Flower, Oatmeal and Glycerine Soap**
buying limit 6, at, cake, 8c
- Fairy Soap**
for the toilet or bath, 6 for 39c, cake, 7c
- Williams' Talcum Powder**
popular odors, buying limit 2, at, box, 12c

A "Surprise" in Spring Frocks

We do not believe you will find elsewhere such style excellence and dependable quality at a price so low. If you would make every dollar buy the utmost in value we suggest that you view this splendid assortment, which embraces many dozens of fetching models.

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George and Queen Mary at Buck-
ingham Palace yesterday.

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WHY DO YOU TRY
TO HIDE THOSE
LITTLE PIMPLES

Or Cover a Dark, Sallow,
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Face Powder and
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How embarrassing it is for one to
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You can quickly remove pimples and
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moves not only pimples, but clears a
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OINTMENT

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CHARGE ACCOUNTS MAY BE CLOSED IF NOT PAID IN 60 DAYS

Charge accounts of the customers
of thousands of members of the Re-
tail Men's National Association will
be closed if they remain unpaid for
60 days after they are rendered, pro-
vided a plan of the association's Ex-
ecutive Committee, which is meeting
here this week, is carried out. The
committee is meeting today, tomor-
row and Wednesday in the office of
the local Retail Credit Men's Asso-
ciation in the Equitable Building.

There are 350 St. Louis retailers
belonging to the association whose
customers will be affected if such a
ruling is adopted.

Interest would be charged on the
accounts closed after the 60-day pe-
riod, according to the plan of the
committee, which has seven mem-
bers, including David M. Strauss, a
St. Louis milliner.

It is said that overbuying has be-
come an after-the-war evil, causing
an enlarged number of "slow" ac-
counts. Credit managers report that
the percentage of collections on
charge accounts has not kept pace
with increasing wages. These are
the reasons advanced for the pro-
posed cessation of long credits.

Action will also be taken on a
plan for a national "Bad Check
Clearing House," considered neces-
sary because of the increasing num-
ber of worthless checks being given
merchants in payment for goods, or
of checks backed by insufficient
funds.

COMER DISBARMENT SUIT ON TRIAL IN CIRCUIT COURT

Disbarment proceedings brought
against Charles P. Comer, St. Louis
attorney and member of the last
Legislature, are being heard today by
Circuit Judge Shields.

The allegation is unprofessional
conduct, based upon a suit brought
in 1916 by Comer in behalf of a
client against Victor Cotter, who, it
is alleged, Comer knew to be dead at
the time the suit was filed. Letters
to support the allegation were intro-
duced, and Comer admitted the fact.

Cotter owed \$450 to John E. Can-
den, a rooming house keeper, and
Comer brought an attachment suit
under which five shares of stock in
the Shapleigh Hardware Co. were
sold to satisfy judgment.

A letter from a Chicago attorney
was introduced in which Comer was
informed that Cotter was dead. Co-
mer said that his client believed
some trickery was being resorted to
by Cotter so that he proceeded with
the suit in good faith. Comer also
attacked the right of the Bar Asso-
ciation to bring such a suit.

20 MEN ARRESTED IN RAID FREED FOR LACK OF EVIDENCE

Police Captain Testifies He Heard
Snapping of Fingers and Roll-
ing of Dice.

Twenty men arrested yesterday in
a raid on the residence of Frank
Dowling, 1423 Clara avenue, on
charges of gambling, were dis-
charged in Police Court today for
lack of evidence.

The raid was conducted by Capt.
Johnson of the Day on duty. Dis-
trict, who testified he heard the
snapping of fingers and the rolling of
dice from outside the house. When
policemen entered the sum of \$522.55
was found in a tin can, together with
a cloth numbered from 1 to 10 and
a pair of dice.

In discharging the prisoners Judge
Mix warned them that a second ar-
rest would result in heavy fines. They
were young, and he felt there were
other games in the city in which the
players were not unfortunate enough
to be arrested, he said.

YOUTH KILLED, TWO INJURED WHEN AUTO PLUNGES 20 FEET

Survivors Found Two Hours After
Accident With Hands and Feet
Frozen.

CARTHAGE, Mo., Feb. 15.—
Charlie Lamberth, 20 years old, of
Jasper was killed and two boy com-
panions probably fatally injured
when their motor car went over a
20-foot embankment two miles west
of Carthage last night.

The two survivors are in a criti-
cal condition from injuries and ex-
posure. They were found about two
hours after the accident, their hands
and feet frozen.

MANAGER OF GARMENT FIRM DIES AT COLUMBIAN CLUB

Jacob Salkey, 61 years old, who
lives at the St. Regis apartments,
died suddenly yesterday afternoon at
the Columbian Club, 3908 Lindell
boulevard, of apoplexy. He was man-
ager of the Irwin Garment Co., 509
Washington avenue.

Salkey is survived by his widow,
Mrs. Bertha Kline Salkey, a son, Sid-
ney Salkey, an attorney, and a
daughter, Mrs. Isaac Prager.

\$500 FINE FOR SELLING WHISKY

Formerly Saloon Man to Try to Re-
cover Liquor Seized Jan. 30.

Joseph Haderlein, who formerly
conducted a saloon at 1427 South
Broadway, was fined \$500 in the
United States District Court today
following his plea of guilty to a
charge of selling whisky to a cus-
tomer on Jan. 30.

When the Federal agents arrested
Haderlein they found 250 gallons of
whisky and wine in the former sa-
loon building. This was seized and
Haderlein was charged with having
liquor in a building not his home.
This charge was dismissed on a mo-
tion by Haderlein's attorney, who re-
quested remission from the Court to
start proceedings for the recovery
of the liquor. The defendant's coun-
sel held that saloon men were given
until Feb. 1 to report their liquor
holdings.

Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney

Store Hours: 9 to 5:30; Saturday, 9 to 6

Olive and Locust from Ninth to Tenth

A Big Savings Offer on Milton Player-Pianos

We Have Just Received Notice of a Price Advance on These Beautiful In-
struments Which Will Become Effective When Our
Warehouse Supply Is Exhausted



WE were fortunate in having a num-
ber of Milton Player-Pianos in
our warehouse before receiving this
notice, and these will be offered at the
old price

\$650

Where there is demand for a perfect in-
strument, for a supreme combination of the
beautiful, in tonal quality, design and fin-
ish, and at a very moderate price, you will
unhesitatingly purchase a MILTON.

In addition to the reliability and very
reasonable price of the MILTON Player-
Piano, you also have the backing of this in-
stitution. There's no doubt when purchas-
ing from Vandervoort's.

We must retain your business in every de-
partment, and to do this it is essential that
business be conducted along the same fair
and square principles throughout the store.

These facts should be of greater impor-
tance to the purchaser than the name on the
instrument, and because the purchase of a
Player-Piano involves more money than
ordinary purchases, you should pay greater
attention to these facts.

Your old instrument will be taken as
part payment, and you may pay the
balance in two and a half years.

Music Salons, Sixth Floor

With each and every instrument a guar-
antee is given, of which there can be no mis-
understanding, and in addition to the guar-
antee, we protect you with insurance, where-
by balance of account is cancelled in the
event of the death of the signer.

With each instrument a combination
bench to match the case of the Piano, and \$10
worth of music rolls of your own selection
are given.

After delivery, you may have the
services of our expert demonstrator as
often as you desire, and at any time, to
show you the proper usage of your in-
strument.

In addition to our regular stock of
MILTON Player-Pianos, we have several
that have been slightly used or shopworn, on
which we will make very substantial reduc-
tions.

These are guaranteed and offer the same
protection that goes with the new instru-
ments, on which full value is asked.

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If your old Machine has served its
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Call tomorrow and see the un-
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chine demonstrated; see how easy
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of this Machine when you do your
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Dresses so good in the matter of style, de-
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FARCE AND MELODRAMA ON PHOTO PLAY BILLS

"Mary's Ankle" and Clemenceau's "The Strongest" Among the Offerings.

An unusually successful film version of a stage success is "Mary's Ankle," as translated and interpreted on the screen by Doris May and Douglas MacLean. It opened to big houses yesterday at the West End Lyric. Miss May and MacLean are a rare combination in the field of romantic farce comedy and the vehicles in which they have starred have, thus far, been sure-fire hits. "Mary's Ankle" as a play owed much of its success to its brilliant dialogue and its mirthful situations. The dialogue has been well preserved in the picture version through the medium of clever little lines and the situations are elaborated, if not improved, the action being expended far beyond the conventional limitations of the stage. It is full of laughs.

Clemenceau Story on Screen.
Georges Clemenceau, until recently Premier of France, wrote a novel a good many years ago. Its title was "The Strongest." A film version of this novel, with many melodramatic additions, went on for a week at the Liberty yesterday. For success it must depend largely on the name of the distinguished Frenchman who wrote the book from which the title was taken. It had been brought up to date by making the sweetheart of the persecuted heroine an American soldier, though in the book the action took place about the time of the Franco-Prussian War. The beauty of Renee Doree in the leading feminine role is the bright spot in this picture. In the main it is very "Frenchy" melodrama, which turns on the efforts of a girl's real father and her rejected father to shape her destiny. Incidentally, there are some good strike scenes when the workmen employed by the rejected father try to catch up with the high cost of living.

Grace Darling and Marc McDermott are the stars in "Even As Eve," which opened for the week at the New Grand Central yesterday. This is a film version of Robert W. Chambers' novel, "The Shining Band," which is the story of a girl whose father has reared her in his hermit home in the mountains where until she is grown she has no opportunity to see men and women of the outside world. A clubhouse is created in the mountains and men and women from beyond the horizon come into intrude on the solitude of the recluse. In his fanaticism the father forces the daughter to join the "Shining Band," a religious sect that believes love is a sin and marriage a crime. Of course, in the end love finds a way.

Blanche Sweet at Her Best.
Blanche Sweet in "Flushed Hour," with a fine supporting cast, is the feature at the King's Theater. Those who admire the little actress will find her at her best in this picture, which calls for a full display of the humor and pathos of which she has shown herself capable. She has the part of a persecuted young woman for whom friends and relatives are trying to arrange a marriage of convenience. In her cute way she starts out to thwart them, the result being a number of amusing and sometimes exciting situations.

Constance Talmadge in "Two Weeks" is the attraction at the Pershing. Several good short features also are on the program. Jack Dempsey in the first picture of his serial, "Daredevil Jack," opened yesterday at the Royal and a number of other theaters in and around St. Louis.

DRIVE FOR \$300,000 FOR GIRLS' HOME OPENED TODAY
Springer Memorial Planned by Women's Christian Association to House One Hundred and Fifty.

The campaign for a \$300,000 fund for the Catherine R. Springer Home for Girls in Industry was launched today, with the co-operation of club women, churches and other organizations. The Women's Christian Association, which is conducting the campaign, conducts the Women's Christian Home, which is taxed to its capacity.

The Women's Christian Home is not adequate to meet the urgent need of housing facilities for women in industry. It is now housing 100 girls, its capacity, and is daily receiving hundreds of applications which it cannot accept. The association will continue to operate the Women's Christian Home in addition to the proposed new home.

The new home will be a modern, fire-proof building with adequate home facilities for 150 girls. It is planned that each girl shall have an individual room. There will be parlors, a library, dining room, a sanatorium—not a hospital, but a place where a girl who is convalescing or indisposed may have care and attention—laundry, where girls may do their own laundry or press their clothing, and other home features for the comfort and convenience of girls who are without home connections in the city.

The drive will continue to March 1. Campaign headquarters have been established at 417 Locust street, with Mrs. W. R. Chivvis as director-general. Mrs. Nelson Cluff is chairman of the drive and Means Committee, and will direct the committees and workers in the solicitation of subscriptions.

Jobs Found for 249.
Or 241 applicants for employment were placed last week by the St. Louis Free Employment Bureau, room 603, Pontiac Building. Employers offered 334 positions last week and 249 applicants for work were referred.



By D. C. S.

There are good habits And bad habits But there is One habit You can safely have You can't go wrong With it It never did Anybody Any harm Never cost anybody Anything It has paid off Mortgages Kept the children In school And the old folks In comfort, Kept men and women In paths of honesty And self-respect Kept families together And home fires Burning Driven the hunger wolf From the door. It is THE THRIFT HABIT

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If neglected, often leads to serious trouble. Relieve your throat, soothe your inflamed throat by taking JUNIPER TAR.

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Full size three-ply veneer Trunks, fiber inside and outside, beautifully lined.

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Every Item New, Desirable, Dependable

- Blue Bird No. 50,701—Tuesday Only. 70c Poplin, 50c Mercerized Poplin in plain colors, 27 inches wide.
- Blue Bird No. 50,702—Tuesday Only. 45c Gingham, 34c Dress Gingham, in plaids, stripes and plain colors, 27 inches wide.
- Blue Bird No. 50,703—Tuesday Only. \$2.50 Satin, \$1.70 Lining Satin, in figures and plain colors, 36 inches wide.
- Blue Bird No. 50,704—Tuesday Only. 38c Challis, 26c Cotton Challis, in Persian floral patterns, 36 in. wide.
- Blue Bird No. 50,705—Tuesday Only. \$4.75 Epingle, \$3.70 Fifty-inch Epingle Suiting, in best all-wool, Spring weight, wanted shades.
- Blue Bird No. 50,706—Tuesday Only. \$3.00 Tricotine, \$5.90 Best all-wool Tricotine, good weight, navy blue, 54 inches wide.
- Blue Bird No. 50,707—Tuesday Only. \$6.50 Duvet de Laine, \$4.90 All-wool, velvet finish, in Spring shades, 54 inches wide.
- Blue Bird No. 50,708—Tuesday Only. All-wool, Spring weight, in wanted shades, 54 inches wide.
- Blue Bird No. 50,709—Tuesday Only. \$6.85 Breakfast Sets, \$7.90 Forty-two-piece Breakfast Sets, in two patterns, service for six.
- Blue Bird No. 50,710—Tuesday Only. \$24.85 Dinner Sets, \$18.90 One hundred-piece Dinner Sets, with gold band.
- Blue Bird No. 50,711—Tuesday Only. \$6.50 Pads, \$4.85 Electric Heating Pads, "Hold Heat," guaranteed.
- Blue Bird No. 50,712—Tuesday Only. \$1.50 Tubs, \$1.05 Large No. 2 size Washtubs, of galvanized iron.
- Blue Bird No. 50,713—Tuesday Only. \$2.00 Sops, \$1.10 Combination Soap and Oil Set, consisting of heart-shaped mop and large bottle polish.
- Blue Bird No. 50,714—Tuesday Only. 46c Pans, 30c Granite Saucepans, 2 1/2-quart size, solid seconds.
- Blue Bird No. 50,720—Tuesday Only. \$60.00 Trunks, \$49.90 Full size three-ply veneer Trunks, fiber inside and outside, beautifully lined.
- Blue Bird No. 50,721—Tuesday Only. \$20.00 Suitcases, \$14.90 Full size genuine cowhide Suitcases, reinforced, with leather straps.
- Blue Bird No. 50,731—Tuesday Only. 50c Paper, 35c Lining Writing Paper, 60 sheets to box, various tints.
- Blue Bird No. 50,732—Tuesday Only. 50c Paper, 35c Gloria Lawn Box Paper, in white and tints, 24 sheets of paper and 24 envelopes.
- Blue Bird No. 50,733—Tuesday Only. \$1.25 Albums, 85c Loose leaf Kodak Albums, 50 leaves, size 1x10-in.
- Blue Bird No. 50,734—Tuesday Only. \$1.95 Cloth, \$1.45 Radium Cloth, in light shades, suitable for dresses, 36 in. wide.
- Blue Bird No. 50,735—Tuesday Only. \$3.75 Georgette, \$2.90 Figured Georgette Crepe in new designs and colorings, 40 in. wide.
- Blue Bird No. 50,736—Tuesday Only. \$2.50 Laces, \$1.70 Venice Laces, in neat patterns, 3 to 5 inches wide.
- Blue Bird No. 50,737—Tuesday Only. \$4.00 Gloves, \$2.90 Women's two-clasp Trefousse French Kid Gloves, in white or black.
- Blue Bird No. 50,738—Tuesday Only. \$3.50 Gloves, \$2.90 Women's strap wrist pique Doekin Gloves, in white or natural.
- Blue Bird No. 50,739—Tuesday Only. \$4.95 Hose, \$3.90 Women's full-fashioned silk lace Hose, in black.
- Blue Bird No. 50,740—Tuesday Only. \$2.00 Hose, \$1.55 Women's Silk Hose, with little tops, semi-finished styles.
- Blue Bird No. 50,741—Tuesday Only. \$2.00 Hose, \$1.45 Men's full-fashioned silk half Hose, with double little tops.
- Blue Bird No. 50,742—Tuesday Only. \$3.00 Hose, \$2.40 Women's full-fashioned Silk Hose, with little tops, double little tops and toes.
- Blue Bird No. 50,750—Tuesday Only. \$12.00 Umbrellas, \$8.90 Silk Umbrellas for rain or shine, with all-silk covers, various handles.
- Blue Bird No. 50,751—Tuesday Only. \$15.50 Hats, \$12.50 Smart Millinery, a splendid variety of styles, in handmade dressy models or tailored styles.
- Blue Bird No. 50,752—Tuesday Only. \$12.50 Hats, \$9.90 Women's Trimmed Hats, dressy or tailored styles, in all the new colors and combinations.
- Blue Bird No. 50,753—Tuesday Only. \$2.25 Vestees, \$1.60 Net Vestees, in panel effect, with narrow lace trimming.
- Blue Bird No. 50,754—Tuesday Only. \$1.25 Collars, 85c Lace Collars, Tuxedo style; various patterns.
- Blue Bird No. 50,761—Tuesday Only. \$1.75 Ribbon, \$1.20 Tapestry Ribbon, in beautiful color combinations and designs, 7 in. wide.
- Blue Bird No. 50,762—Tuesday Only. \$1.50 Ribbon, 95c All-silk Taffeta Ribbon, in pretty floral and striped effects.
- Blue Bird No. 50,763—Tuesday Only. \$1.00 Handkerchiefs, 80c Men's Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, with hand-drawn hem.
- Blue Bird No. 50,764—Tuesday Only. 50c Handkerchiefs, 40c Women's Madeira Batiste Handkerchiefs, elaborately embroidered.
- Blue Bird No. 50,765—Tuesday Only. \$4.50 Handkerchiefs, \$3.50 Men's Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, with black initials; box of 6.
- Blue Bird No. 50,766—Tuesday Only. \$13.95 Dress Forms, \$10.80 Full adjustable Acme Dress Forms, with pedal.
- Blue Bird No. 50,767—Tuesday Only. \$12.95 Sulkies, \$9.80 Full collapsible Sulkies, with storm cloth folding hood, various finishes.
- Blue Bird No. 50,768—Tuesday Only. \$75.00 Rugs, \$64.90 Seamless Axminster Rugs, in beautiful designs and colorings.
- Blue Bird No. 50,769—Tuesday Only. \$9.00 Shoes, \$7.90 Men's gunmetal or tan Shoes, in English or medium toes.
- Blue Bird No. 50,770—Tuesday Only. \$3.00 Switches, \$1.50 Switches and Transformations of wavy hair.
- Blue Bird No. 50,771—Tuesday Only. \$2.50 Banding, \$1.65 Black Net Banding, elaborately embroidered in soutache effects.
- Blue Bird No. 50,772—Tuesday Only. \$6.90 Silverware, \$5.80 Wm. Rogers & Sons Silverware, six knives and six forks, \$5.80.
- Blue Bird No. 50,773—Tuesday Only. \$8.50 Silverware, \$6.90 Sheffield Plate Bread Trays, with handles.
- Blue Bird No. 50,774—Tuesday Only. \$59.50 Dresses, \$48.90 Misses' and women's Dresses of taffeta, tricotines and serges, sizes 14 to 42.
- Blue Bird No. 50,775—Tuesday Only. \$25.00 Dresses, \$19.90 Misses' and women's Dresses, of serge and tricotines, sizes 14 to 44.
- Blue Bird No. 50,776—Tuesday Only. \$5.00 Hats, \$3.70 Men's soft and stiff Felt Hats, in various colors, all sizes.
- Blue Bird No. 50,777—Tuesday Only. 30c Muslin, 22c Thirty-six-inch unbleached Muslin, good heavy quality.
- Blue Bird No. 50,778—Tuesday Only. 49c Cambric, 40c Thirty-six-inch Herkley's cambric, free from dressing.
- Blue Bird No. 50,779—Tuesday Only. \$15.00 Trousers, \$10.90 Men's fancy chevrot, worsted, flannel and serge trousers. All sizes.
- Blue Bird No. 50,780—Tuesday Only. \$3.95 Capes, \$3.15 Girls' guaranteed Kangaroo Capes, of rubberized saten, with hood, sizes 6 to 14 years.
- Blue Bird No. 50,781—Tuesday Only. \$2.95 Dresses, \$2.20 Girls' new Spring Tub Dresses, in the season's latest models, sizes 6 to 14 years.
- Blue Bird No. 50,782—Tuesday Only. \$3.50 Longcloth, \$2.90 Good quality Longcloth, 10 yards in bolt.

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Wonderful Sale of Sample Suits

Offering Values at from \$45.00 to \$125.00 Your Choice Tomorrow

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Every One of These Suits Represents the Season's Latest Vogue

MATERIALS—Tricotines, serges, gabardines, silver-tones, wool jerseys, Oxford cloths, goldtones, English mixtures.

COLORS—Navy, black, tan, gray, blue, Oxford.

STYLES—Ripple models, bolero effects, straightline effects, Eton modes, braid-bound models, embroidered suits, semi-box styles.

(Second Floor—Nugents.)

- Blue Bird No. 50,715—Tuesday Only. 65c Brooms, 40c Five-sewed Brooms of good grade broom corn.
- Blue Bird No. 50,716—Tuesday Only. \$15.00 Napkins, \$10.90 Pure linen Dinner Napkins, 24x24-inch size.
- Blue Bird No. 50,717—Tuesday Only. 75c Toweling, 52c Pure linen Glass Toweling, with red or blue check.
- Blue Bird No. 50,718—Tuesday Only. \$1.00 Batiste, 75c White mercerized Batiste, 44 in. wide.
- Blue Bird No. 50,719—Tuesday Only. \$5.00 Razors, \$3.10 Gillette Safety Razors.
- Blue Bird No. 50,720—Tuesday Only. \$1.00 Aprons, 60c Rubberized Household Aprons, in gingham patterns.
- Blue Bird No. 50,721—Tuesday Only. \$1.75 Soap, \$1.10 Boacelli Olive Oil Castile Soap, in four-lb. bars.
- Blue Bird No. 50,722—Tuesday Only. 27c Tooth Paste, 19c Kolynos Tooth Paste.
- Blue Bird No. 50,723—Tuesday Only. \$1.75 Necklaces, \$1.30 Combination fancy cherry red and jet black Bead Necklaces, with ring clasp.
- Blue Bird No. 50,724—Tuesday Only. \$10.00 Pearls, \$6.90 Graduated Pearl Bead Necklaces, 26 inches long, with solid-gold clasp.
- Blue Bird No. 50,725—Tuesday Only. \$4.50 Rosaries, \$2.90 Sterling Silver Rosary, in Sterling silver Dorine Cases.
- Blue Bird No. 50,726—Tuesday Only. \$7.50 Bags, \$5.40 Moire Silk Handbags, with celluloid frame and chain handles, in black and navy.
- Blue Bird No. 50,727—Tuesday Only. \$6.75 Purse, \$4.90 Leather Purse with top strap, silk lined, in assorted styles and sizes.
- Blue Bird No. 50,728—Tuesday Only. \$15.00 Bags, \$10.90 Fine cowhide Traveling Bags, sewed-in frame, leather lined.
- Blue Bird No. 50,743—Tuesday Only. 50c Hose, 45c Women's semi-finished little Hose, medium weight.
- Blue Bird No. 50,744—Tuesday Only. \$2.98 Union Suits, \$2.30 Men's Winter weight Union Suits, mercerized and part wool, with long sleeves, ankle length, all sizes.
- Blue Bird No. 50,745—Tuesday Only. \$1.98 Union Suits, \$1.45 Men's medium and heavy weight cotton Union Suits, long sleeves, ankle length, all sizes.
- Blue Bird No. 50,746—Tuesday Only. \$1.75 Union Suits, \$1.35 Girls' Union Suits, with short sleeves, knee length, sizes 14 to 18 years.
- Blue Bird No. 50,747—Tuesday Only. 85c Vests, 60c Women's pink Vests, in hand and bodice tops, sizes 5 and 6.
- Blue Bird No. 50,748—Tuesday Only. 79c Union Suits, 60c Women's pink Union Suits, with tape top, loose knee, extra size.
- Blue Bird No. 50,749—Tuesday Only. \$12.95 Sweaters, \$9.90 Women's and misses' zephyr yarn Sweaters, in Tuxedo, slip-on and tie-on models.
- Blue Bird No. 50,750—Tuesday Only. \$15.00 Blouses, \$11.90 Women's Georgette Crepe Blouses, Spring models and shades, all sizes.
- Blue Bird No. 50,751—Tuesday Only. \$7.95 Spreads, \$5.80 Mangle Spreads, in heavy raised patterns, hemmed.
- Blue Bird No. 50,752—Tuesday Only. \$8.95 Blankets, \$6.70 Flaid Blankets, in large block patterns, size 66x90 in.
- Blue Bird No. 50,753—Tuesday Only. \$7.39 Comforts, \$5.85 Full size Comforts, filled with white sheet cotton and floral pattern top.
- Blue Bird No. 50,754—Tuesday Only. \$14.50 Mattresses, \$9.90 Full size Mattresses, with double layer felt top and bottom cotton. Will not mat or spread.
- Blue Bird No. 50,755—Tuesday Only. \$18.50 Beds, \$11.90 Full or 1/2 size Steel Beds, in white or Vernis Martin finish.
- Blue Bird No. 50,756—Tuesday Only. \$60.00 Rugs, \$49.90 Seamless Velvet Rugs, size 9x12 ft., pretty designs and colors.
- Blue Bird No. 50,757—Tuesday Only. \$2.95 Rugs, \$2.15 Size 27x54-inch plain colored Rag Rugs, with fancy floral borders.
- Blue Bird No. 50,771—Tuesday Only. \$1.79 Rugs, \$1.25 Bengal Wash Rugs, in mixed colors with neat borders, size 39x60-in.
- Blue Bird No. 50,772—Tuesday Only. \$1.98 Creepers, \$1.30 Babies' Creepers of pink and blue checked gingham, sizes 1 and 2 years.
- Blue Bird No. 50,773—Tuesday Only. \$1.25 Bloomers, 85c Women's flesh colored Crepe Bloomers.
- Blue Bird No. 50,774—Tuesday Only. \$2.00 Gowns, \$1.40 Nainsook Gowns, in slipover style, Empire and yoke effect.
- Blue Bird No. 50,775—Tuesday Only. \$4.25 Kimonos, \$2.90 Flannellette Kimonos, ribbon trimmed, floral designs.
- Blue Bird No. 50,776—Tuesday Only. \$2.98 Petticoats, \$2.20 Women's Petticoats with taffeta silk flounce, heatherbloom tops.
- Blue Bird No. 50,777—Tuesday Only. \$3.50 Pajamas, \$2.60 Striped Flannellette Pajamas, cut full, with silk frog, all sizes.
- Blue Bird No. 50,778—Tuesday Only. \$2.88 Shirts, \$2.30 Men's shirts of madras, percale and Russian cord, in various patterns, all sizes.
- Blue Bird No. 50,779—Tuesday Only. \$6.50 Shirts, \$4.90 Men's Shirts of woven madras and satin striped patterns, all sizes.
- Blue Bird No. 50,780—Tuesday Only. \$55.00 Suits, \$44.90 Men's and young men's new Spring Suits, in novelty castles, worsteds and flannel, latest models. All sizes.
- Blue Bird No. 50,781—Tuesday Only. \$8.95 Low Shoes, \$6.90 Women's Oxfords, two-yelet Ties, two-button and Colonial Pump, and patent Colonial Pumps, all sizes.
- Blue Bird No. 50,782—Tuesday Only. 25c Towels, 18c Huck Towels, in plain white, 17x34-in.
- Blue Bird No. 50,783—Tuesday Only. 19c Crash, 14c Unbleached Crash Toweling, 16 in. wide.
- Blue Bird No. 50,784—Tuesday Only. \$2.35 Sheets, \$1.95 Bleached Sheets, size 81x95 inches.
- Blue Bird No. 50,785—Tuesday Only. \$2.50 Aprons, \$1.90 Extra size Bungalow Aprons of gingham or percale.
- Blue Bird No. 50,803—Tuesday Only. \$8.95 Dresses, \$6.90 Gingham Porch Dresses, in large plaids, with organdie collar, sizes 36 to 46.
- Blue Bird No. 50,801—Tuesday Only. \$4.95 Dresses, \$3.80 Checked Gingham Dresses, trimmed with organdie collar and cuffs.
- Blue Bird No. 50,802—Tuesday Only. \$5.00 Satins, \$4.00 Black lustrous Dress Satins, splendid quality, 40 and 36 inch.
- Blue Bird No. 50,803—Tuesday Only. \$3.98 Skirts, \$3.25 Satin stripe Crepe de Chine and Silk Broadcloths, for shirts, 32 in. wide.
- Blue Bird No. 50,804—Tuesday Only. \$3.00 Silks, \$2.35 Foulard Silks, in all colors and designs, 40 inches wide.
- Blue Bird No. 50,805—Tuesday Only. \$12.95 Skirts, \$9.90 Women's new Spring Skirts, in wool plaids, poplins and serges.
- Blue Bird No. 50,806—Tuesday Only. \$3.50 Curtains, \$2.75 Fillet net and madras weave Lace Curtains, 2 1/2 and 3 yards long.
- Blue Bird No. 50,807—Tuesday Only. 50c Drapery, 45c Velvet finish Drapery, in crettonne colorings, beautiful patterns.
- Blue Bird No. 50,808—Tuesday Only. \$1.19 Drapery, 95c Sunfast Drapery, in beautiful patterns and all colors, 36 in. wide.
- Blue Bird No. 50,809—Tuesday Only. \$5.00 Curtains, \$3.90 Fillet, Scotch net and Marquisette Curtains, in white and Arabian.

INFLUENZA FATAL TO MINING MAN

Francis J. Hobson, 50 years old, a mining engineer of Los Angeles, died at the Deaconess Hospital Saturday night of influenza, having become suddenly ill while on his way from Arizona to St. Louis. His

brothers, Charles W. and H. E. Hobson of Dallas, Tex., reached St. Louis shortly after he died.

Hobson had mining interests in Arizona and in Mexico. He was a thirty-third degree Mason, the degree having been conferred upon him in Mexico at the same time that

former President Diaz of Mexico was admitted to that degree. He is survived by his widow, a daughter and one son, F. J. Hobson Jr., now en route to China where he is to take a place in the office of the American Minister at Shanghai.

Hobson was born in Savannah, Mo., leaving there 25 years ago.

HER ENGAGEMENT WAS ANNOUNCED AT LUNCHEON



Miss Ruth O. Disbrow

MISS CLAIR WARFIELD TO MARRY VIRGINIAN

Her Engagement to Beverly T. Nelson, Nephew of Kirkwood Man, Is Announced.

ANNOUNCEMENT is made of the engagement of Miss Clair Warfield, daughter of the late John R. Warfield of Kirkwood, Mo., and Beverly Tucker Nelson of Virginia. Miss Warfield has spent much of her time in the East but has resided for a year with Mr. and Mrs. William Fitzhugh Randolph, 150 East Bodley avenue, Kirkwood. She is the sister of Mrs. G. H. Worrall of Kirkwood. Mr. Nelson is a nephew of George T. Robinson of Kirkwood and is at present engaged in business in Oklahoma.

The wedding will take place in April or May and the couple will go to Oklahoma to reside.

Social Items

Miss Katherine Edwards, 914 Argyle place, entertained with a luncheon Saturday afternoon to announce the engagement of Miss Ruth O. Disbrow to John Clayton Jr. Miss Disbrow is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Disbrow, 533 Main street, Kirkwood. She is a graduate of Mary Institute and has been maid of honor at the Velled Prophet's ball. Mr. Clayton is a son of Mrs. John Clayton and the late Rev. John Clayton of Kirkwood. He is a graduate of Washington University and was overseas two years as a First Lieutenant of Infantry. No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Marvel Taylor, 4929 Pershing avenue, is spending February with her sister, Mrs. Raymond Ewald of Bloomington, Ill.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Gertrude L. Dick, daughter of J. W. Dick, 5334 Wells avenue, to Philip McNemer, son of Mrs. J. F. McNemer of Little Rock, Ark. Mr. McNemer is a graduate of the University of Arkansas, class of 1919. The wedding will take place at 8:30 o'clock March 20 at the Central Presbyterian Church, the Rev. Dr. MacLeod officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Manovill, 1239 Clara avenue, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Susie E. Manovill, to William W. Rubey, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Rubey of Moberly, Mo., which was solemnized Nov. 27 at Clayton. Mr. Rubey and his bride both attended Missouri University.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCluney, 4401 McPherson avenue, will give a dinner party at the University Club tomorrow evening in honor of Mrs. Dwight W. Morrow of New York, who will arrive tomorrow morning in the interest of the Smith College campaign. The guests besides Mrs. Morrow will include Mr. and Mrs. William Schevill, Mr. and Mrs. Neil A. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. William K. Bixby, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tausig and Mr. Benjamin Gratz. Mrs. Morrow will be guest of honor at a luncheon the Smith Club of St. Louis will give at the Planter's Hotel tomorrow noon.

Mrs. Joseph M. Long of Maple place entertained Saturday with a luncheon in honor of Mrs. Edward Schaaf, State regent of the Colonial Daughters of America, and Mrs. Charles B. McCormack, chapter regent. Covers were laid for 12.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. D. Meier of Clayton and Kent roads, St. Louis County, are spending a few weeks in the East and are at present at Hotel Chatham, New York.

The City Club of St. Louis will give a formal ball this evening at Moolah Temple. Dancing will begin at 9 o'clock.

The marriage of Miss Laura Blossom Gray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Olin D. Gray of New York, and Cameron O'Ray Macpherson, son of Edward Allen Macpherson, took place at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon at St. Thomas' Church in New York City. Miss Catharine L. Hill of Boston attended the bride as maid of honor and the bridesmaids were Misses Genevieve Stone, Miss Elsie Morrill, Victoria Kellogg, Jean-

ette Chappell, Kathleen Boyd and Kathleen Noyes and Mrs. John O'Day. The bridegroom's father served as best man and the groomsmen and ushers were H. Liggett Gray, John O'Day, Alfred Nathan Jr., Seymour Fox, Ary J. Lamme Jr., George Piper, Albert Maguire and James Maguire. A small reception was held at St. Regis Hotel after the ceremony. The bride is related to Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Gray, Edward Blossom, Cabell Gray and Wastell Gray of St. Louis, and Benjamin F. Gray III of California.

Mrs. J. L. D. Morrison of the Buckingham Hotel was obliged, on account of a death in the family, to

Col. Rath, Executioner, Dead.

By the Associated Press.
Jackson, Mich., Feb. 14.—Lieutenant Colonel Christian Rath, veteran of the Civil war and executioner of those convicted of conspiring to assassinate Abraham Lincoln, died here today. He was born in Freidenstadt, Germany, where he fought in a rebellion, during which he fled to America and joined the Navy.

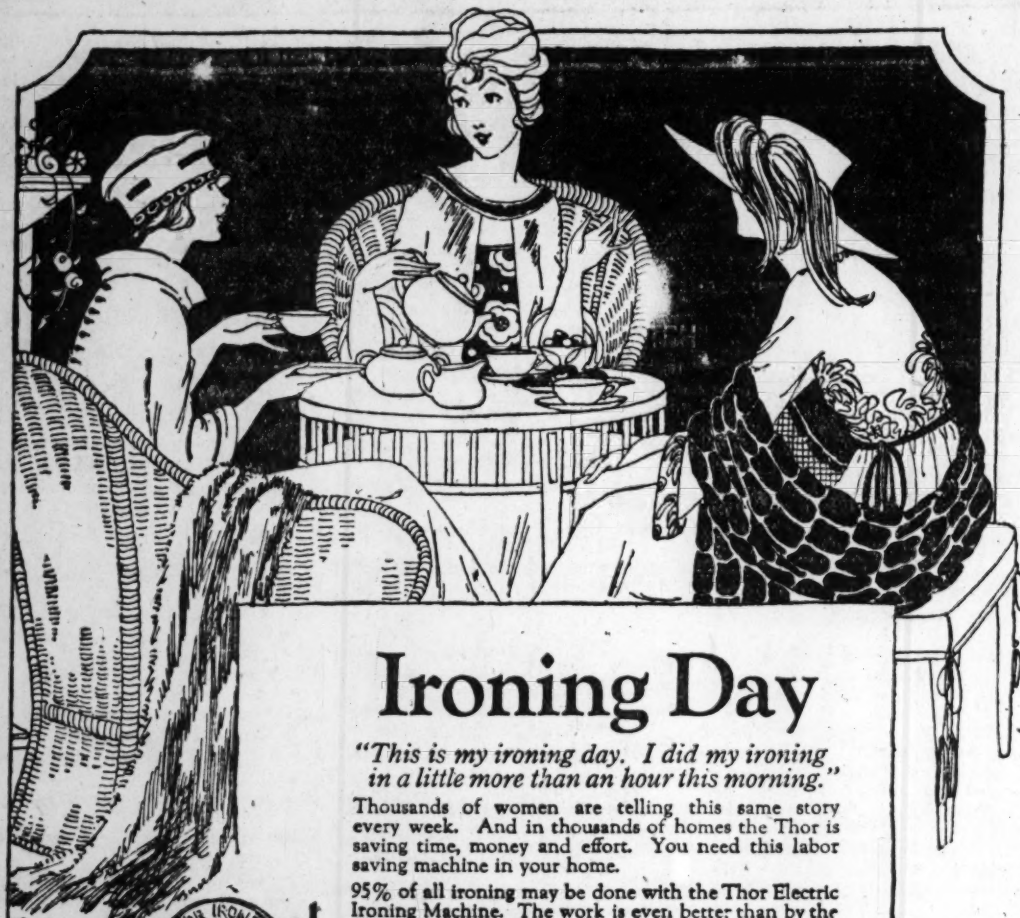
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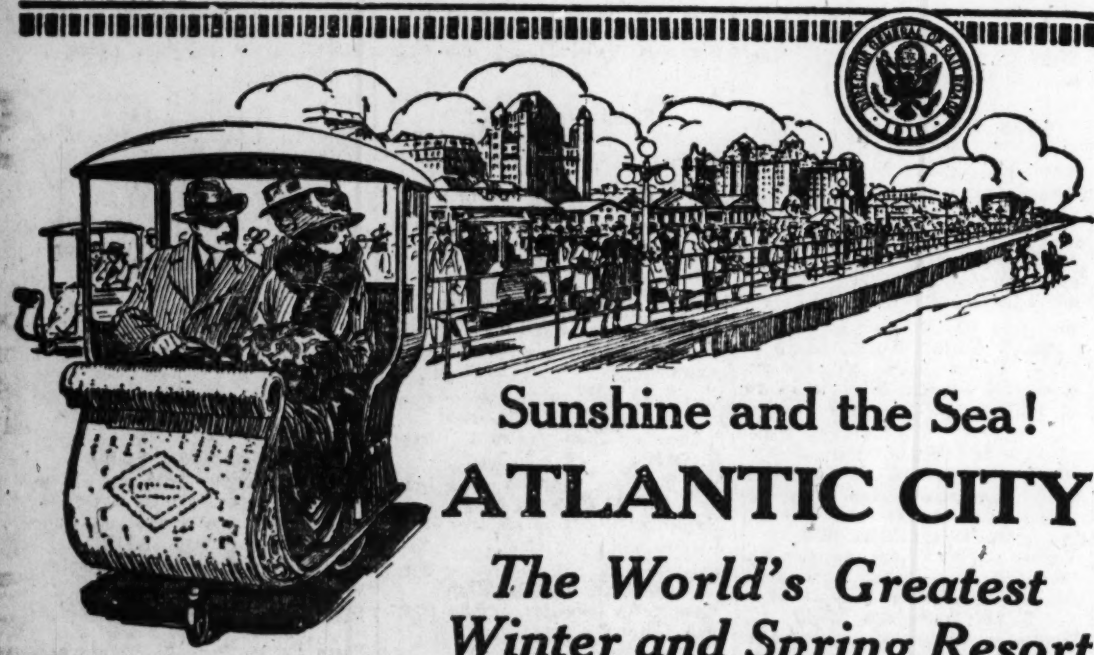
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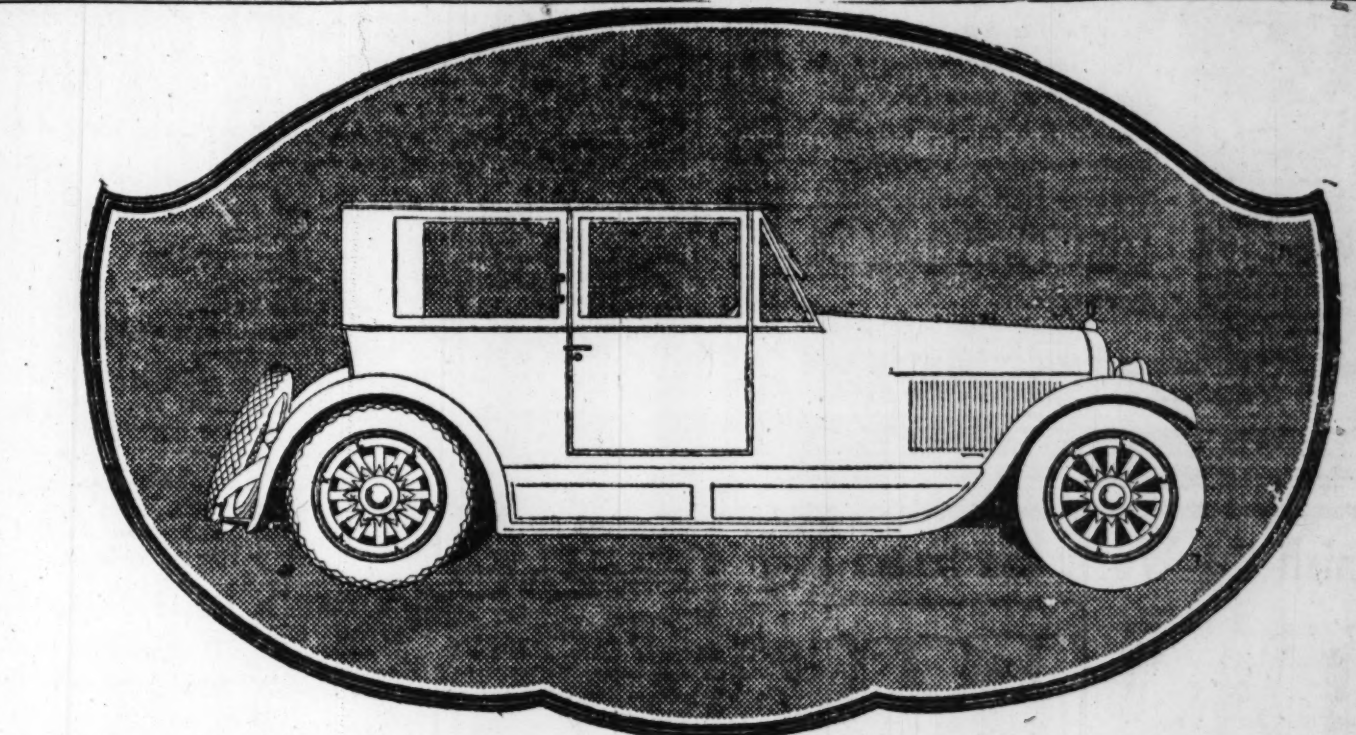
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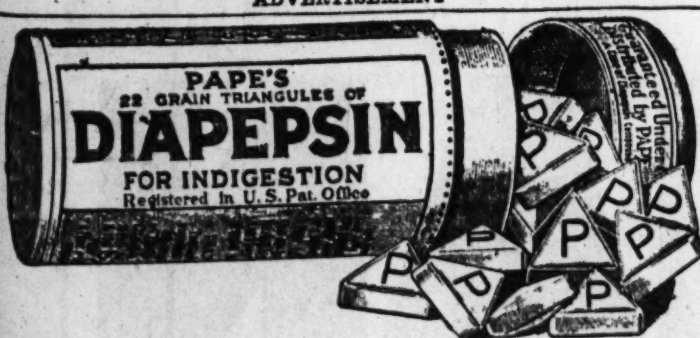
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NORA BAYES ENLIVENS HOYT SUFFRAGE FARCE

Al Roberts and Florence Morrison Assist Capably in "Ladies First."

Nora Bayes, with molasses-candy coiffure and saxaphonic voice, invites the public, in this week's program of the Shubert-Jefferson Theater, to "check your brains with your hats and enjoy yourselves." The invitation—at least the latter part of it—was accepted last night by about as many persons as the house would contain.

The chief enjoyment came in the playing of Miss Bayes and two of her principal associates, Florence Morrison, of mogul physique and shell-shock tones, and Al Roberts, who looks like a cartoon representation of the Ultimate Consumer, and whose voice suggests bronchitis. These three brightened up a farce, made from Charles Hoyt's "A Contented Woman," and dealing in a now familiar fashion with woman suffrage.

There was occasional singing, and even the chorus of eight young women had to sing a little, though most of its work was in impersonating the feminine electorate.

Duet Best of Songs. Miss Bayes, who used to sing about horticulture in Normandy, makes "Just Like a Gypsy" her principal number. It has an air which is easily picked up, and the words are meaningless enough to promise a considerable vogue. The prettiest of the songs is a duet sung by Miss Bayes and Arthur Gordon. The star also sings "Freckles," "I'll Tell the World," and a negro mammy ballad.

After an opening scene of high alcoholic content, the suffrage situation develops, with women in possession of the vote, and with nominations for Mayor handed out by individuals, there being no primaries or conventions to worry about. No instruction in the actualities of voting or of politics is to be found in this play, and no announcement has been made as to any special performance for the League of Women Voters.

The scenes are all in a domestic setting, some distance behind the political front lines. Miss Bayes, as the woman candidate for Mayor, returns from the polling place with her dress shredded by women voters and Miss Morrison, as the husband, brings, as a souvenir of the hustling the mark left by an onion in the vicinity of one eye.

"Ladies First" in Fact.

In the second and third acts, the play is suspended while various members of the company essay to entertain, under the supervision of Miss Bayes, who is manager as well as star. The girls of the chorus do fairly well, but the men's work is in conformity with the title of the performance, which is "Ladies First." Gordon, who makes a good impression in the first act, hardly sustains it in his later singing, and other men do nothing worthy of mention, except for Harrison Greene, in blackface, who gets some fun out of a French lesson Roberts and Miss Morrison sing a pleasing duet.

One of the bits in which the Hoyt play has been brought down to date is in the observation, made by Miss Bayes, that she would like to see her expected husband go into politics, as she is sure he would soon become President, "and I do so love to travel."

TO OBSERVE 50TH ANNIVERSARY

Capt. and Mrs. Frank Galenille Will Have Reception Sunday.

Capt. and Mrs. Frank Galenille, 4561 McPherson avenue, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary next Sunday at the home of their son, George B. Galenille, 4417 McPherson avenue, where a reception will be held from 3 to 5 p. m. Four other sons and daughters are expected to attend.

Capt. Galenille came to St. Louis from New Orleans in 1872 and engaged in the provision brokerage business. He retired about five years ago. He is a former president of the Merchants' Exchange, and for 10 years was president of the old St. Louis Exposition. He has been actively connected with the Vello Prophet celebration in St. Louis since its beginning, and in 43 years has attended all but one of the Vello Prophet balls.

MOTORCYCLE POLICEMAN INJURED

Lester W. Speed Struck by Auto Cutting From Behind Car. Probationary Patrolman Lester W. Speed, 24 years old, of 4044 Palm street, a motorcycle policeman, suffered a fractured leg and arm and internal injuries at 8:30 p. m. yesterday when thrown from his motorcycle in collision with an automobile driven by George C. Hafferkamp, 3537 Connecticut street, at Spring avenue and Arsenal street.

Speed was eastbound in Arsenal street just as Hafferkamp, following a westbound street car, cut from behind the car south into Spring avenue, ramming the motorcycle. Speed was taken to the city hospital. Hafferkamp was arrested charged with careless driving. Speed claiming he made the turn too short.

Steamer Adrift in Atlantic

By the Associated Press. BOSTON, Feb. 16.—The Red Mountain Shipping Board steamer, bound from Galveston, Tex., to Havre, France, blew out the tubes in three of her boilers and is adrift about 1000 miles east of New York, according to a radio message intercepted here early today. A later message said she would probably tow to Halifax for repairs.

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12TH DISTRICT REPUBLICANS MAY NAME NEGRO DELEGATE

Meeting Will Be Held Tonight to Select Two Representatives to Chicago Convention.

Republican committeemen in the Twelfth Congressional District have decided, according to reports within the organization today, to elect a negro as one of the two delegates from the district to the Republican national convention. The district convention will be tonight at 1224 South Tenth street.

Robert E. Moore, member of the City Committee from the Sixteenth Ward, will be chosen as the other delegate, if the organization plans are carried out.

Negroes of the district in recent meetings have demanded that the nominee for Congress in the district be a negro, contending the race is entitled to a seat in Congress because more than half the voters of the district are negroes. While it is not probable that their demands will be met, the organization has decided to give them one of the two seats in the national convention. The decision as to who will be chosen will not be reached until this evening, it is said.

The Republican Congressional Committee of the Tenth District Saturday night decided to hold the Tenth District convention at the Washington Hotel Feb. 28 at 3 p. m. Meetings to select delegates will be held the evening of Feb. 27.

According to present plans, the delegates from the Tenth will be John Schmoll, chairman of the Republican City Committee, and Fred Eason of Clayton, "boss" of St. Louis County.

POLICE SERGEANT HURT IN FALL OF HORSE DIES

Edward F. Dwyer Succumbs to Injuries Caused When Auto Frightens Animal.

Police Sergeant Edward F. Dwyer, 42 years old, of 1632 Tamm avenue, died at 2 a. m. today in St. John's Hospital of injuries suffered Saturday at 1:30 p. m., when thrown from his horse at Clayton road and Billon avenue.

An automobile approaching from the rear frightened the horse, which swerved off the road into soft earth, which caused him to fall. As the horse rolled over, the pommel of the saddle was driven into Dwyer's abdomen, causing internal injuries.

Dwyer had served in the police department since June 10, 1907, and was in the Mounted District. He is survived by a widow and three children.

1000 NEW MEMBERS SOUGHT

X. M. H. A. Has Already Passed Original Goal of 500.

More than 500 new members were reported obtained by the two teams at a dinner and meeting of workers at the Young Men's Hebrew Association Building at 3645 Delmar avenue last evening.

A total of 517 new members were obtained by the workers representing the "Seniors Club" of the Association within six days. Since the campaign will not end until Feb. 25, it was agreed by the heads of the two teams, Milton Strauss of the "Blues," and Edwin Horn of the "Whites," that the goal be raised from 500 to 1000 new members. The meeting was addressed by Rabbi Julian H. Miller of the Bnai el Temple.

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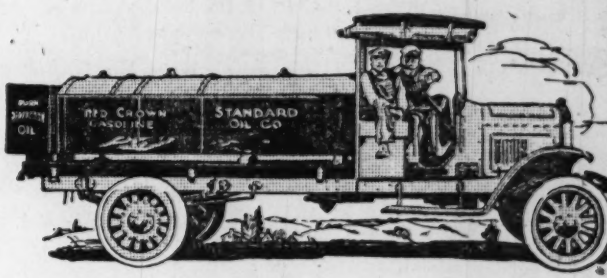
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EVERY WOMAN

A PARAMOUNT-ARTCRAFT PICTURE-KINGS THEATRE ONE WEEK STARTING SUNDAY FEB. 22

WOMAN, TWO MEN HURT; FIRE ENGINE, 2 HOSE REELS WRECKED

Three Accidents Occur at Same Hour in Different Sections of the City.

Three persons were injured and a fire engine and two hose reels were wrecked at 11 a. m. yesterday in three accidents in different parts of the city. All of the accidents in which the apparatus was responding were minor blazes.

William Kunz, 25 years old, 3313 California avenue, chauffeur of an automobile fire engine of company No. 24, was seriously injured, and William Meyer, 4139 Flad avenue, the engineer, was slightly bruised

when the engine overturned at the south end of the Twelfth street viaduct. Kunk had attempted to pull the engine out of the car tracks when the wheels skidded and the engine swung over against the curb. A horse passing at the time, rushed Kunz to the city hospital. He suffered a fractured arm and internal injuries.

Miss Marie Derkey, 22 years old, of 1430 Sullivan avenue, a stenographer, was cut and bruised when an automobile in which she was riding with her brother was wrecked by Hose Reel No. 25 at Fourteenth and Madison streets.

Hose Reel No. 46 was proceeding over Fair avenue at Lee avenue when a front axle broke and the wheel, loosened, ran across the sidewalk and smashed a plate glass window at 4103 West Lee avenue.

TENTH WARD ASSOCIATION OPPOSES MUNICIPAL BONDS

Says Construction Costs and Taxes Are Too High at Present—Objects to Aldermen's Salary Move.

Opposition to the adoption at this time of the \$24,000,000 improvement bond issue proposed by the city government, was expressed yesterday by the Tenth Ward Improvement Association on the ground that the cost of building materials is too high, the cost of money is too high and because State and city taxes recently have been increased and individuals are being called upon to pay a high Federal income tax.

A further reason is that the method adopted for the bond issue of opening the free bridge for freight

traffic will not, in the opinion of the association, permit freight to move over the bridge upon payment of one freight charge, by reason of failure to provide for an approach on the Illinois side.

The association called upon other associations of similar character in the city to take cognizance of the objections expressed.

The association also stated its opposition to the proposal to increase the salaries of members of the Board of Aldermen from \$1800 a year to \$3600 and the salary of the President of the board from \$3000 to \$5000 a year.

Another protest was that fire insurance rates to storekeepers and householders, which were raised on Jan. 1, should be restored to their former level.

W. B. MCKINLEY CANDIDATE FOR U. S. SENATE IN ILLINOIS

Congressman Enters Race After Favorable Reports on Down-State Survey.

CAMPAIGN, Ill., Feb. 16.—Formal announcement of the candidacy of Congressman William B. McKinley for United States Senator from Illinois, to succeed Senator Sherman, was made today. The announcement came in the form of a letter from Congressman McKinley to John W. Stipes, president of "the McKinley for Senator Organization," in reply to his report as the head of the voluntary campaign committee of neighbors and business men of the down-state congressman that has been making a political survey of

Republican sentiment during the last few months.

It is understood the result of this survey has indicated to such an extent a demand among Illinois Republicans for a Down-state business man as a candidate for the senatorial office, that a letter was dispatched strongly urging Congressman McKinley to become a candidate for the nomination at the primary next September.

In his letter of acceptance Congressman McKinley indicates his willingness to abide by the wishes of his friends on condition that the Republican party bend its entire energy toward putting the Government machinery back on a practical business basis, reduction of taxes and maintenance of the American standard of living.

Extra Specials From the Big Reduction Sale!

Jenny & Jones
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39c, 59c
White Goods
Small lot of soiled and mused mill remnants of white goods; yd.

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25c and 45c
Muslins
And Cambrics mill remnants; soiled and mused; yd.

19c

30c
Sheeting
38 inch, fine unbleached sheeting in mill remnants; 2 1/2 to 3 yard; per yard.

23c

Fancy Gingham
Big shipment of remnants in many styles; plaids and checks in all best colors; yd.

29c

39c, 50c
Draperies
Cretonnes in mill remnants; yd wide; goods in misprints; yd.

29c

Men's Pants
Union Made Tweeds, cassimeres in stripes or plain colors; stout and regular sizes.

\$5.00

Men's Overalls
Jumper Overalls, in dark stripes.

\$1.50

40c
Cheviot
Plain blue, firm, durable shirting; in mill remnants; yd.

29c

49c
Hose
Children's Ribbed Hose, slight seconds; pair.

39c

49c
Vests
Women's ribbed Vests, low neck, sleeveless; extra sizes.

39c

35c
Hose
Men and Women's Hose, the kind that give service.

25c

Women's Corsets
Strongly built; special value—

\$1.75

\$2.50
Petticoats
Women's fancy Percale Petticoats with deep flounce.

\$2.25

Men's 35c Garters
Our regular 35c grade; special for Tuesday.

25c

\$1.75
Gloves
New gauntlet, strap-wrist style, fine quality white Chambray; 6 gloves.

\$1.00

\$1.69
Shopping Bags
Triplex expansion black leatherette Bags.

\$1.25

French Serge
42-inch navy blue Pacific Mill, fine twill, soft finish French Serge.

\$1.69

85c
Shepherd Checks
Neat black and white Shepherd Check Suitings, yard wide; yd.

69c

Girls' Oxfords and High Shoes

Real time to buy. Our stocks are at their best. Giving big values for least money.

High Shoes—Many styles in various leathers. English and wide toes. Oxfords—Tans, chocolates, kids and English and wide toes; sizes \$2.00, \$2 1/2 to \$11.

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Skirts

Women's plaid and serge Skirts, newest styles at

\$5

CORK-LINOLEUM 4 YARDS WIDE

Choice selection; four-yard-wide, genuine Cork Linoleum to cover your floor in one solid piece; patterns slightly irregular; sold regularly at \$1.50 per sq. yd.; Tuesday, sq. yd.

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100% waterproof floorcovering, has highly finished waxed back, in appearance and wear it is similar to printed linoleums, used extensively in public places and the best of homes; patterns slightly shaded; sold regularly at 80c, square yard.

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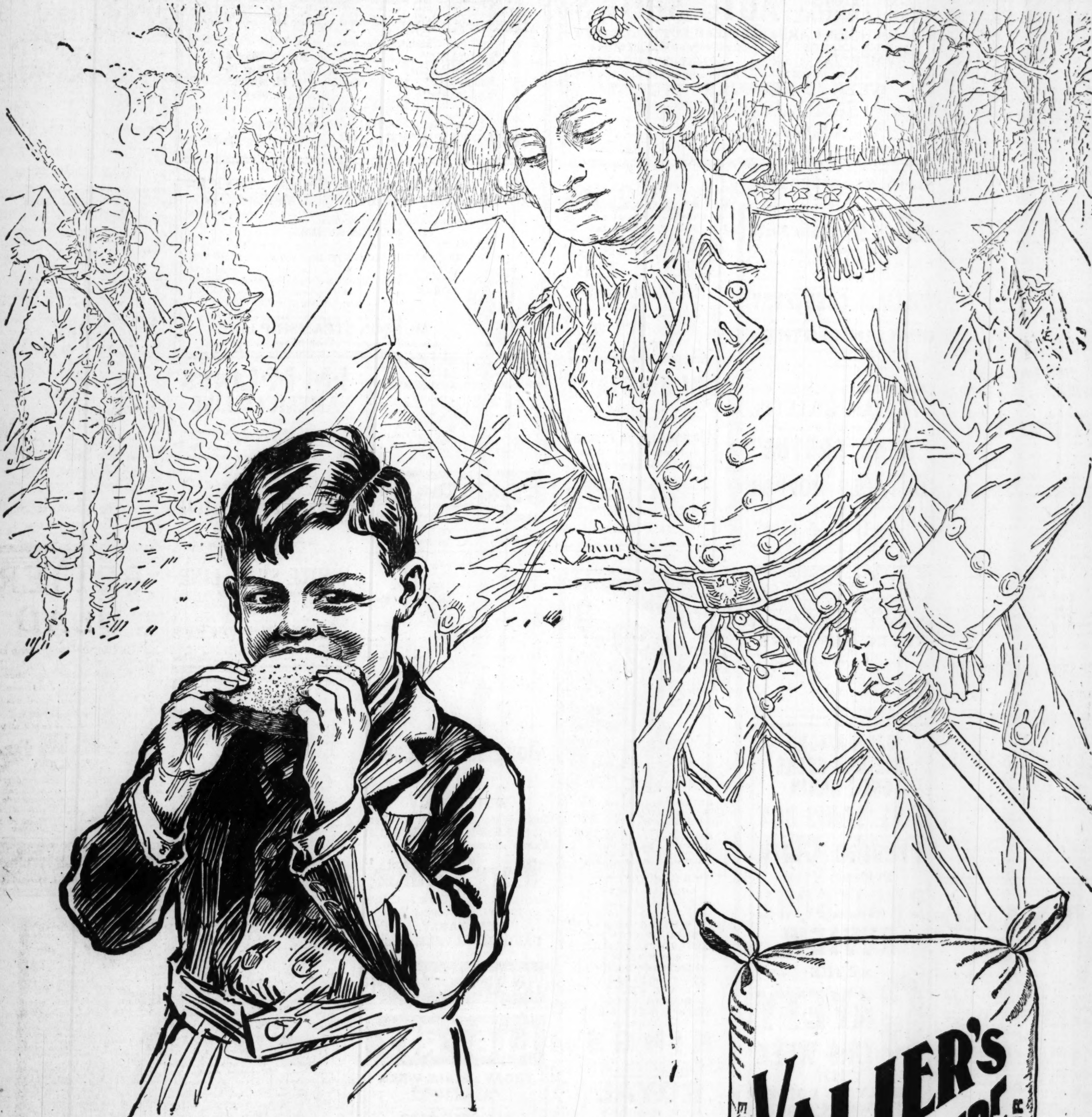
Lace Curtains

Nottingham Lace Curtains, 2 1/2 yards long, white or ecru; overlooked edge; pair.

\$1.98

Filet and Scotch
Net Curtains, 2 1/2 and 3 yards long, white or ecru; pair.

\$2.98



Yesterday and To-Day

George Washington and the troops he commanded in the Continental Army underwent the hardships of forced marches and bitterly fought campaigns on very limited rations. Often bread was their only food, but that supplied their needs, for good, wholesome, well baked bread contains practically every element essential to vigor and strength.

Its value is just as great to-day, and the bread we bake is better.

To our modern mills goes the credit because of the flour they produce. It admits of better baking than was even dreamed of in the days of the Revolution.

Valier's Enterprise Flour

represents the pinnacle of this modern milling skill. It is ground in clean, airy mills from the finest hard winter wheat grown.

Special care is taken to preserve all the extraordinary baking qualities which only such grain can have.

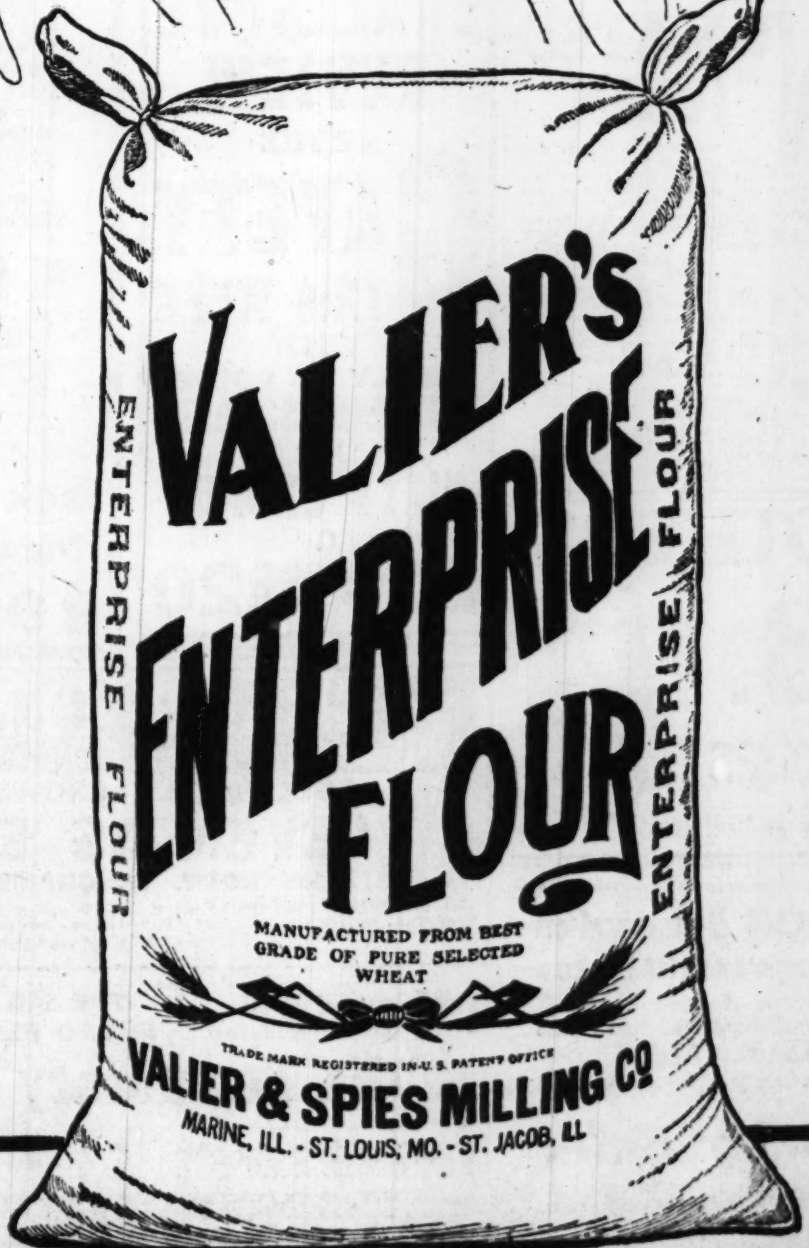
The result is a flour unequalled in quality and rising power. Its slightly greater cost per sack is not an expense, but insurance—it protects you from the waste of failures and is economical in the end. It gives you better bakings and—

more loaves per sack

Your grocer has Valier's Enterprise Flour. Order a sack to-day.



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MEN—To work in furniture

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MEN—Two, for positions as salesman;

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er. Apply foundry, ST. LOUIS CAR CO., 8000 N. Broadway.

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SALESMAN—Milk supplier; references. Box 2-224, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—To work on commission basis; in flower and feather line. S. J. Dreyfus, 1144 N. 10th St.

SALESMAN—Experienced; one who is in position to buy cars. Box 1-155, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Catholic; city or road

representative; no experience necessary; call 8 to 10, 4 to 6. Mr. Herber, 411 N. 10th St.

SALESMAN—In the furniture line; to sell

matting on commission basis; for samples and particulars address: Christian Paper Tobacco Co., 715 N. Main.

SALESMAN—For Missouri; with experience

calling on factory trade; state agent; experienced; no experience necessary. Box 2-225, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Write for "List of Leads"

and full particulars; earn \$200 to \$1000 yearly; by demand for men; inexperienced or experienced; city or traveling. Mr. Salome, 1144 N. 10th St.

SALESMAN—Experienced; to sell suits and

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DISHWASHERS—Women; colored; 5300 Broadway; references. Box 2-226, Post-Dispatch.

DRESSMAKERS—Wash and skirt makers; also girls to work on belt; good wages; apply to Mr. Taylor.

EXAMINER—Experienced; aprons or muslin underwear. Apply to R. LOWENBAUM MFG. CO., 23d and Locust st.

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Negro Paper Barred at Pine Bluff, Ark., Feb. 14—Chancellor John M. Elliott today

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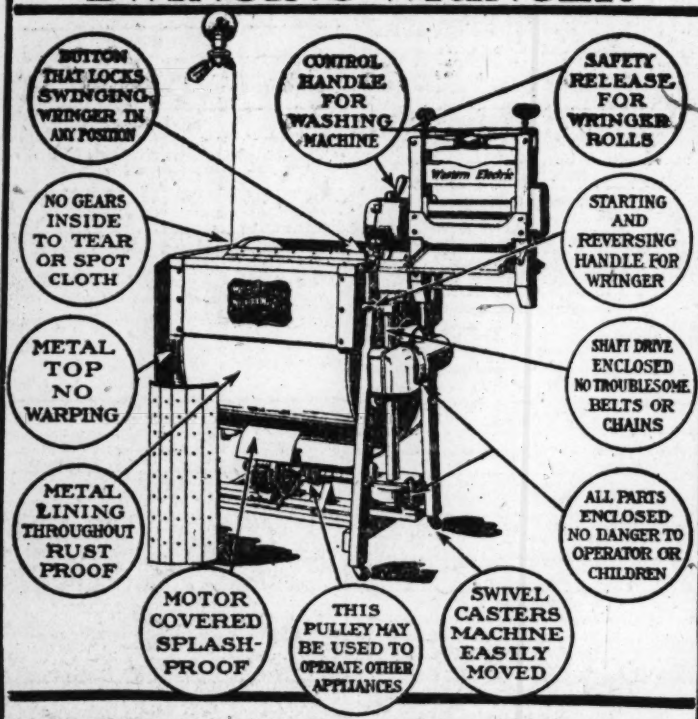
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114 TEACHERS WILL INSTRUCT FOREIGNERS

Volunteers for Work Will Complete Six Weeks' Americanization Course Next Week.

One hundred and fourteen volunteer teachers, who have been taking a six weeks' course in Americanization work at Central Library under the direction of R. C. Rockfort, professor of foreign languages at Harris Teachers' College, will undertake the instruction of 3000 illiterate adult foreigners in the English language, following the completion of their course next week.

The instruction work will be carried on in the homes and working places of the foreigners under the supervision of the Women's Chamber of Commerce, which has been organizing classes since last November. The purpose of the work is to improve the economic condition of the aliens and lay the ground work for Americanization work by enabling them to read and write the English language.

Survey Was First Made. The classes were organized following a canvass made by the police at the request of the Women's Chamber of Commerce. This organization, after securing the co-operation of clergymen and social welfare workers, furnished 25,000 registration cards to the police, who visited the homes of the foreigners in all parts of the city, obtaining their names and questioning them as to their willingness to receive instruction.

Fifty-six classes have been formed and instruction already has begun. Permission has been obtained from the Board of Education to use the public school buildings nearest the homes of the class members and within a few weeks the instruction will be carried on there.

One Class Each Week. The teachers are matrons and young women who have volunteered their services. They will conduct the classes once each week at the hours most convenient to the workers or the women members of their families. A number of male instructors have been obtained from among St. Louis and Washington University students and from the Knights of Columbus and Hebrew Young Men's Association.

PRINCETON ALUMNI TO OBSERVE SATURDAY AS MEMORIAL DAY

Sons of University All Over U. S. to Pay Tribute to 146 Killed in War.

Princeton University students and alumni in all parts of the United States will observe next Saturday as Princeton Memorial day as a tribute to the 146 Princeton men who died in the nation's service in the late war.

On that day a monument to these men will be dedicated at Princeton and simultaneously memorial services will be held in every city and town where there are Princeton men. A minute of silence will be included in the program of each meeting.

It is planned to have all the meetings held at the same time. This will be 4:30 p. m. St. Louis time. The university plans to establish scholarships in the names of each of the Princeton men who were killed in the service. A number of these scholarships have already been established.

The memorial in Nassau Hall is at the entrance to the historical structure. All of the unoccupied space in the center of the building, with the exception of the Hall of the Continental Congress, has been cleared away, leaving a well-proportioned and handsome hall, which has been paneled in Indiana limestone with tablets bearing the names of those sons of Princeton who have given their lives in this or in former wars. This memorial combines the dignity of antiquity and the associations not only of great historical events, but of a multitude of eminent men in the past times.

FRENCH MEMORIALS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED NEXT SUNDAY

Archbishop Glennon and Others Will Speak at Exercises in First Regiment Armory.

Memorial diplomas, awarded by the French Government to the next-of-kin of American soldiers who died in France, will be distributed next Sunday afternoon at the First Regiment Armory, Grand avenue and Market street.

The number of diplomas prepared for St. Louis and St. Louis County is 689.

Notices to the next of kin are being mailed from the St. Louis offices of the army, navy and Marine Corps. The American Legion, which has been officially designated as the agency for the distribution of the diplomas, has prepared a program for the ceremony. All the posts in St. Louis and St. Louis County will join. In charge is the St. Louis Executive Committee of the legion, of which Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Burkham is chairman. Col. E. J. Spencer is chairman of the Special Memorial Meeting Committee.

The service will begin at 3 o'clock with an invocation by the Rev. H. L. Reader, who was the chaplain of the 107th Engineers. Besides patriotic and religious songs and selections by the Overseas Quartet, addresses will be delivered by Archbishop Glennon, Rabbi Harrison, Dean Davis and Marc Seguin, French Consul. The benediction will be pronounced by Father Kennedy, chaplain of the 138th Infantry. The memorial diplomas will then be presented. Seats will be reserved for the next of kin.

FAMOUS-BARR CO.

Double Eagle Stamps Tuesday

Tuesday Begins One of the Banner Attractions of the February Campaign—a Sale of

Dinner Ware

Bringing High-Grade Dinner Sets at Savings Not to Be Duplicated

From all indications, this will be the last sale of its kind for many months. Dinnerware was never so scarce as now—and prices were never as high. The importance of this event can be appreciated, therefore, when the special prices are noted. It is just another indication of the remarkable value-giving program that has been mapped out for this February campaign. That this is an occasion of unusual significance will be quickly recognized by prudent housekeepers. Avail yourself of it. Some lots are limited and early selection is advised.



\$25 Dinner Sets
at **\$15.50**

100-piece Dinner Sets of Pope-Gosser semi-porcelain ware, in the plain shape with gold line on outer and inner edge. Bread and butter plates and fast stand sauceboats included.

\$27.50 Dinner Sets
at **\$21.50**

American semi-porcelain 100-piece Dinner Sets, in various beautiful border and conventional designs, with bread and butter plates and fast stand sauceboat. Three patterns to choose from.

\$52 Dinner Sets
at **\$32.50**

Attractive 100-piece semi-porcelain Sets. Border design, with gold line on inner and outer edge. Only 12 Sets in this lot.

\$60 to \$75 Dinner Sets

100-piece Theo. Haviland and Japanese Nippon China Dinner Sets, decorated with delicate borders and floral spray designs with gold treatment. All have bread and butter plates and fast stand sauceboats. Included are:

22 Nippon China Dinner Sets, originally \$65
12 Nippon China Dinner Sets, originally \$75
65 Theo. Haviland Dinner Sets, originally \$60
13 Nippon China Dinner Sets, originally \$70

Choice for

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Dinnerware
at **20% Discount**

All of our open stock Dinnerware, with the exception of advertised items. Included are 42, 50 and 100 piece Sets and Hotel Ware at this substantial discount.

Dinner Sets
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42 and 50 piece Sets of lightweight semi-porcelain ware, decorated with white and gold band design. Just 34 sets in this lot. \$12.50 and \$16.50 values.

\$125 Dinner Sets
at **\$89.00**

Imported white and gold china 100-piece Dinner Sets in attractive wide coin gold band design, with coin gold handles. Bread and butter plates and fast stand sauceboat.

\$85 Dinner Sets
at **\$49.95**

Nippon China Sets, in attractive Dresden border design between two gold lines, with coin gold handles. 103 and 108 piece Sets with bread and butter plates and fast stand sauceboat.

\$50 Dinner Sets
at **\$30.00**

Syracuse China Dinner Sets of 100 pieces. Beautiful floral spray and border designs on the plain shape. Bread and butter plates and fast stand sauceboats—four patterns to choose from.

As a Big Value-Giving Event for the February Campaign, We Feature Tomorrow

A One-Day Sale of Furs

At Savings of **20% to 40%**

The big International Auction Sale of Furs just ended with Fur pelts selling higher than ever before. This naturally means that Fur garments will be higher next season. This sale offers a remarkable opportunity to save money on Furs of fashion—thoroughly reliable in every respect. Tonight's Star contains complete details.

Third Floor

Gaining in Momentum Every Day—Our February Sale of

Men's Suits and Overcoats

Which Offers \$40, \$45 and \$50 Values at

\$32

Men who have analyzed the clothing situation know that it is good business to invest now in a Suit or Overcoat for present, early Spring and even next Winter's wear. The February Sale presents the logical opportunity to make this investment for the savings afforded are next to impossible to duplicate. We secured these Suits and Overcoats from a number of noted clothes manufacturers who know just how to make clothes for the up-to-date men and young men of today.

The Suits

Single and double breasted models, with or without belts, tailored of all-wool fabrics—novelty patterns in all shades and color tones; also plain blue, brown and green flannels and blue serges, most of them lined with silk. Included are heavy-weight Suits for present wear, and others in medium weights for Spring wear.

The Overcoats

Overcoats for men and young men of every type, build and proportion. Included are Ulsters, Ulsterettes, Greatcoats, Motor Coats and Coats for semi-formal wear, skillfully made of substantial fancy overcoatings. The greater majority of the Overcoats are quarter-lined with durable quality silk.

Second Floor



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Don't be fooled by fake Kink Removers. You can't straighten your hair until it's soft and supple. Our pomade removes dandruff, feeds the roots of the hair and makes it grow long and silky.

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The daily crush to get out of wretched Vienna. Scene at railroad station showing crowd, early in the morning, waiting for ticket offices to open.

—International Photo.



New York "debs" dressed in native costumes of immigrants assisting Mrs. Vincent Astor in campaign for the League of Foreign Born Citizens. Those standing back of Mrs. Astor are: Barbara Kissel, Spanish girl; Elsie Parsons, Miss Liberty; Katherine Bliss, Scottish maiden; Adelaide Rhineland, Italian girl; Katherine Post, Iceland; Katherine Sharpe, Belgium; Miss O. V. A. Gantory, gypsy, and Miss Emily Hammond, China.

—International Photo.



King Christian of Denmark, who will welcome the people of Schleswig as result of popular vote on detaching themselves from Germany.

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American Methodist Bishops, visiting Austria, chatting with a little wood gatherer in what was formerly the Royal Forest.

—International Photo.



It may be a cold day, but the Polar bear in the Zoo doesn't mind it.



A most momentous question is here being settled. Committee appointed by the Army, Navy and Civilian Board of Boxing Control deciding on how to investigate Jack Dempsey's war record.

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JOSEPH PULTIZER.
April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

The Gardner Loan Plan.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Relative to the tentative plan of Gov. Gardner, as outlined in the issue of the Post-Dispatch of Feb. 3, wish to say that as an ex-service man and a member of the 138th Regiment from its beginning, do not agree with the statement that he believes the relief plan preferable to the bonus plan, wherein he declares that if a lump sum were given each man, many of the recipients would not need it and might not put it to a good use.

Feel pretty certain that the majority of the service men could easily use the lump sum for very good purposes, so why deprive them of it in preference to those who would probably not put it to a good use?

EX-SERVICE.

Panic Propaganda.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Speaker Gillett, of the National House of Representatives, is quoted as saying the United States is headed for the worst money panic in the history of the country. He says it will be as disastrous as the panic of 1893. This is dangerous talk from a man in Mr. Gillett's position.

The writer remembers the money panic of 1893 referred to by Gillett. Mr. Cleveland was President. The panic was started by Wall Street national bankers in a convention.

This convention issued a letter to every banker in the country telling them to tighten up on all heavy borrowers, and collect the cash on all paper and outstanding notes. The "screws were tightened" all over the country and brought on the worst panic ever seen. Hundreds of banks all over the country failed and large manufacturers were forced to close their shops and labor went begging for bread. Farm products were almost valueless—corn sold for 15 cents a bushel and hogs at \$3 a hundred.

It only takes a little agitation to start a panic and Speaker Gillett has opened the way. Look out for other calamity howlers to follow.

The opposition to the peace treaty and league of nations by the Republican Senate is a well-planned effort to discredit the administration and to cause business unrest. It is a good time to profit by past experience. Disregard Gillett's panic propaganda.

FRANK TRAINER, Blue Mound, Ill.

Appreciation.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

May we express to the St. Louis Post-Dispatch our sincere thanks and appreciation for the splendid publicity given our recent caucus of the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce.

This splendid co-operation did much to make the caucus a success. It proved to the delegates that the press of St. Louis was in sympathy with the young men's movement whereby they could play their part in the constructive program of the nation.

Yours very truly,
HY. GIESSENBERGER JR.,
President.

Reduce Taxes.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I think it very desirable that a considerable reduction be made in the rate of taxes on both excess profits and incomes. I believe that these high taxes have a great deal to do with the high cost of living, as they are added to the cost of production and the consumer and general public ultimately have to pay them. During the war it was all right to impose these taxes, but now that the war is over we should go back to a moderate rate of taxation. Another effect of these excessive taxes is that they take away initiative. The reduction should be in both excess profits and in income taxes. It would be well if the reduction could be brought about by economy through a reduction in the Government's expenses, but if necessary I would favor a moderate bond or note issue rather than maintain the present high rate of taxation.

ADOLPH LEWISOHN.
New York.

They'll Stand for It.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I read with much interest your splendid editorial "The High Cost of Government." You certainly have stated truthfully and precisely the situation, except in your last paragraph in which you state that the people will not stand for it. I had supposed you knew the people well enough to know that they will stand for anything the "japs and peanut-politicians" desire to impose upon them. Just point out one instance in which they did not put over anything they desired, and kept it over, too; then I will give up that your whole article is RIGHT, dead right. Everybody knows that the city business man is paying practically all the taxes and bearing the burdensome and unreasonable taxes for the whole State. But what do they do about it? They stand it like the bunch of dupes they are.

Here is hoping they may some day wake up.

J. E. TAYLOR,
President Taylor Bros. Churn Co.,
Garrison and North Market.

WHY NOT ALL THE CABINET?

Emphasizing what we said in the Sunday Post-Dispatch, if Mr. Lansing was guilty of usurpation in calling informal conferences, the members of the Cabinet who approved his act of usurpation and gave it effect by attending the conferences shared his guilt and should share his condemnation.

We assume that all the members of the Cabinet approved the calls and attended some, if not all, the conferences. There is no evidence that any of them protested against the calls or the conferences as usurpations of the President's authority.

Why, instead of being dismissed, was Secretary Houston shifted from the Department of Agriculture to the head of the Treasury Department—a promotion in point of the importance of the office? Why doesn't he resign? What has he to say about the Lansing case?

It is not to be expected that Postmaster-General Burleson would resign; he is not made of the stuff that resigns any office, but why doesn't the President kick him out? What has Mr. Burleson to say?

So of other Cabinet officers who are clinging to their posts. Why don't they resign? Secretary Lane, who has already resigned, is the only man who has the courage to avow his full participation in Mr. Lansing's course and to stand by the former Secretary. What sort of men are the other members of the Cabinet?

In the matter of raising their own salaries, nobody can accuse our Aldermen of diffidence or penuriousness.

LAZY WOMEN AND H. C. L.

A gentleman in East St. Louis blames the lazy woman for the high cost of living in that city—the woman who does her marketing by telephone instead of personally attending to that important domestic duty.

It is possible that the telephone is still a swift and convenient utility in East St. Louis. On the occidental side of the great river, however, the telephone has become an uncertainty, an anguish and a black despair. Under direct compulsion strong men still attempt to telephone. Fairness requires the admission that they sometimes succeed. Such instances, though, are rare. Ordinarily the effort ends in babbling incoherence. Heroes who went through the horrors of the Argonne without batting an eye have been known to throw up their hands before the telephone and brokenly mumble kamaerd.

The telephone has long since ceased to be the easiest way for the indolent. But it still has an important function to serve. There is a school or cult of some kind that recommends doing one thing every day that you don't like to do, as a mental developer. That is where the modern telephone comes in. As a means of communication it has passed out, but as an instrument for cultivating patience under an avalanche of provocation the telephone is unrivaled, matchless, supreme.

It may be that there are women who still do their marketing by telephone, but they are few and the high cost of living cannot be charged to them. Neither may such women be called slackers or weak-sisters. The woman who can stand up under the tortures of the post-bellum telephone is a Spartan dame.

It cost Isabella \$7000 to discover America and nobody knows how much it cost the ex-Kaiser, but in both instances it was worth the money.

LABORITES BACK OF IRISH.

Arthur Henderson, who probably would become Premier of England in the event of that election triumph by the Labor party which many observers predict, announces the support of British workingmen generally for Ireland's aspirations.

The Laborites have always been sympathetic to Irish demands. The important thing now is how far they are prepared to go in making their sympathy effective. Mr. Henderson says flatly that labor will have no part in any further betrayals of the Irish people and will not acquiesce in any policy withholding further what is Ireland's due. He says that Lloyd George's new home rule scheme has not a friend in Ireland and that it is incapable of solving the Irish problem.

The latest plan is for independence under a British protectorate similar to the American protectorate over Cuba. With certain important principles safeguarded by a judiciously drawn "Platt amendment," may not this be a workable plan? The dominion plan of Sir Horace Plunkett is promising.

The value of Labor party support is not to be underestimated. It is a new party, without the prejudiced membership and narrow traditions of the old parties. Its attitude on the Irish question cannot be attributed to an effort to play politics and to gain from an appeal to Irish sentiment. It is a logical result of the general principles it professes. With British workingmen throughout the islands united as a matter of party principle on an Irish solution, how could workingmen who swarm in Belfast and Ulster refuse their co-operation? Ulster, where the old

EDITORIAL SPARKS.

As we understand the Admiral, he charges the department with being too meddlesome.—Brooklyn Eagle.

One St. Louis contractor says he is excavating now for 76 residences. Mercy! Will all those cellars be needed?—Houston Post.

X-Senator Jimham Lewis of Illinois says he has discovered a plot to injure Woodrow Wilson politically. Yes, Ham, and the plot thickens.—Times-Record of Spencer, W. Va.

The old-fashioned woman who promised to love, honor and obey her husband now has a granddaughter who asks where they got that stuff.—Galveston News.

"I gotta have a place to live." "I understand," said the real estate man, "and maybe I can fix you up. Now, which would you prefer, a portable shed or a tent?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A correspondent of an Eastern newspaper raises the question: "Who is generally responsible for grammatical errors and other mistakes sometimes found in news stories?" Well, we of the editorial staff pass the buck to the typesetters. We don't know what they do with it.—Nashville Tennessean.

home-rule alignment would remain under the old party divisions, might be split by Laborite effort. The British Labor party is rapidly growing in strength. It already exerts a moral and political influence making it a valuable ally of the Irish or any other cause.

WHAT WOULD LINCOLN SAY?

In his speech on Lincoln Day to the Young Republican Club, Chairman Will H. Hays of the National Republican Committee asked, "What would Lincoln say today?"

Mr. Hays declined to suggest what Lincoln would say, because it might be presumptuous to assume that one could think as Lincoln would think. But Lincoln's expression of his thought gives a clue to his attitude toward great questions concerning human society and government and the progress of mankind. We are justified in drawing conclusions as to what he would say from what he did say. In his Independence Hall address on Feb. 22, 1861, he said concerning the confederacy of colonies:

I have often inquired of myself what great principle or idea it was that kept the confederacy so long together. It was not the mere matter of separation of the colonies from the motherland, but that sentiment in the Declaration of Independence which gave liberty not alone to the people of this country, but hope to all the world, for all future time. It was that which gave promise that in due time the weights would be lifted from the shoulders of all men and that all should have an equal chance.

We are justified in assuming that a statesman who would express these sentiments would heartily support a solemn covenant of the nations to respect each other's rights, to avoid aggression, to substitute reason and law for intrigue and war and to cooperate to support justice, preserve liberty and maintain peace for all men.

We are justified in assuming that in considering a solemn peace covenant of the nations agreed upon to achieve these great ends for mankind Lincoln would not permit personal feeling or partisan interest to govern his speech or his conduct. We can easily imagine from our knowledge of his profound concern for the welfare of all men what would be his attitude towards the unseemly controversy which has raged in the Senate while the fate of free civilization hung in the balance.

Anyhow, nobody will question that Newberry was easy pickin'.

PAYROLL ROBBERIES.

Payroll robberies are frequent here and elsewhere and their frequency is explained by the circumstances at the Bluebird Manufacturing plant, where highwaymen got away with more than \$11,000 Saturday. Plainly the robbers knew where and when to strike. They held up the paymaster just as he was beginning to distribute the envelopes.

It is an easy matter for the professional bandit to familiarize himself with such facts at almost any business house. Paying off is a routine detail, discharged regularly in a methodical way. It probably is one of the simplest operations in the burglar's specialty.

Seemingly the best preventive of payroll robberies is paying by check. The check method, to be sure, is not everywhere practicable. There is a prejudice against it, too, and it undeniably has its objectionable features. But the prevention or substantial reduction of robberies is well worth the price of such inconvenience as it may exact.

Chicago hotels are to be commended for their decision not to raise rates during the Republican convention, and a part of the credit may properly be awarded St. Louis.

A DENUNCIATION THAT IS MERITED.

The denunciation of Messrs. Sullivan, McAllister and Middlekamp by school superintendents and teachers generally in a formal resolution furnishes a good point to reckon from.

In two successive years after a general enlightenment on the subject of taxation and its vital relation to Missouri progress, these three ex-officio members of the Equalization Board voted to continue with slight alteration the old-time, inadequate political assessments. It was a deliberate choice between the public interest and a selfish interest represented by tax-dodgers. The resentment aroused by the disregard of Constitution and law and the equal taxation principle does not seem to subside with time. On the contrary it seems to become more intense as State problems of the very highest importance press for solution. The teachers who suffer injustice in consequence may be depended on to keep it alive.

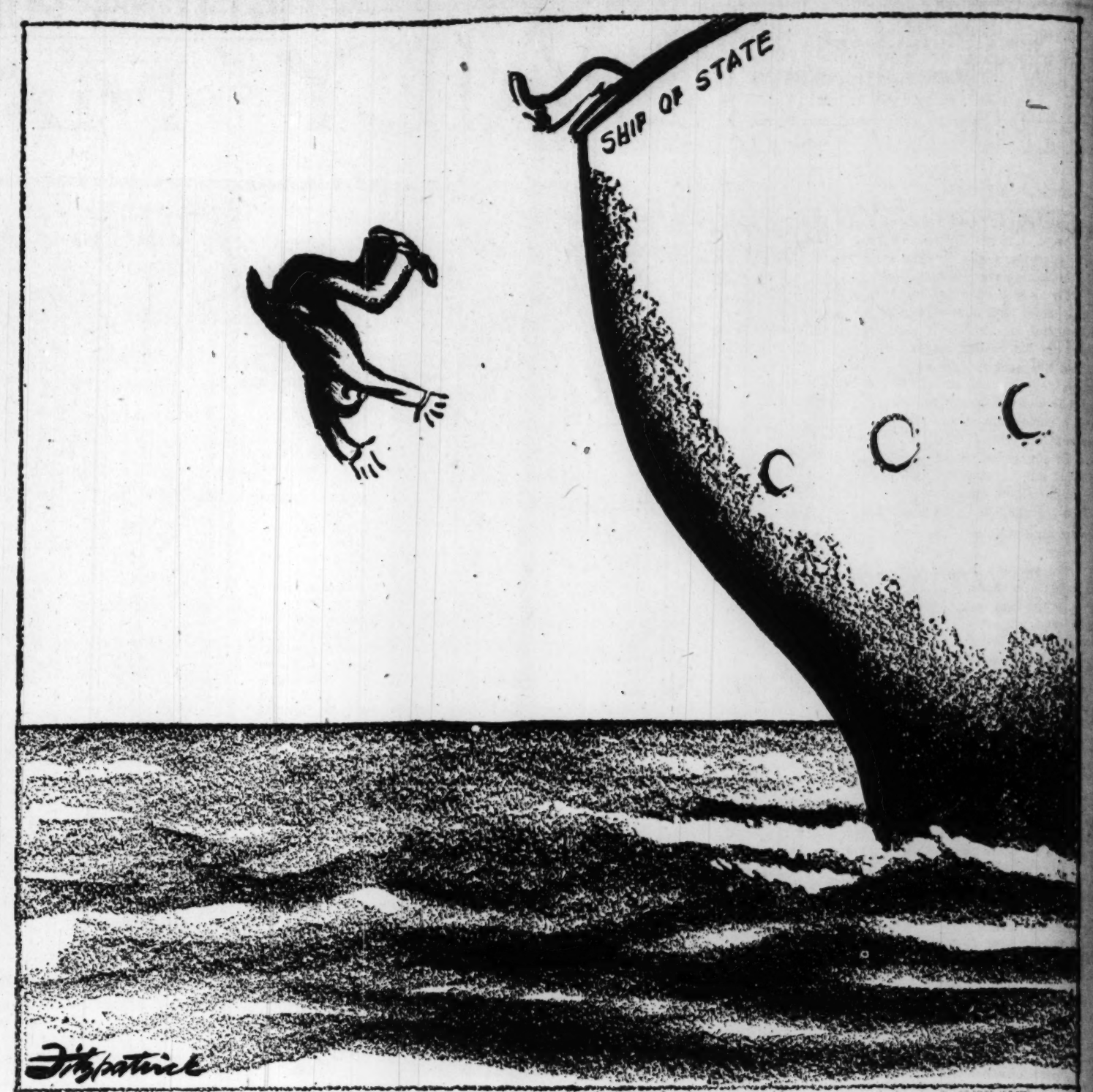
After being mentioned as an aspirant for various high offices, Mr. McAllister is reported to have reached the wise decision that a call to private life cannot be ignored in the near future. Diagnoses of the political situation reveal conditions decidedly adverse to any further public ambition on the part of Messrs. Sullivan and Middlekamp.

On the one side was a small but clamorous minority of tax-dodgers. On the other side were the children, the parents, the teachers, Missourians insistent on giving our children a better opportunity than that of the past, the great body of the public. The latter make a combination too powerful to be defied with impunity.

TWO HUNGRY CHILDREN.



—Galveston News.



DROPPING THE FIRST MATE.

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH
by Clark McAdams.



MR. ANTWERP'S OPINION.

"THE outcome of the special election in the Third Missouri is no less than laughable," Mr. Antwerp said.

"Here we had a tremendous effort made by both parties in an election supposed to forecast the result of the approaching national campaign—and what do we learn?"

"Why, only this—that since the last campaign in the district nobody has changed his mind. The vote upon Saturday was almost identical with the vote cast last November. Not even the flu affected it."

"The truth is that for the purposes of forecasting the next general election the campaign in the Third Missouri was overdone. What ever dissatisfaction anyone felt with his party was not what they felt. The vote on Saturday would have thrown light upon the popular humor had we not permitted partisan passions to be aroused. As it is, it is worthless. We are as far from knowing what the people think of the league of nations as we are from knowing what the United States Senate thinks about it."

A LITTLE TREE.

I never see a little tree bursting from the earth, peeping confidently up among the withered leaves, without wondering how long it will live and what trials and triumphs it will have. It will better and beautify the earth; love the blue sky and the white clouds passing by and ever join merrily in the movement and the music of the elemental dance with the winds. It will welcome the flower-opening days of spring, be a home for the birds, and enjoy the quiet summer rain. And when comes the golden peace of autumn days I trust it will be ready with ripened fruit for the life to come. I never fail to hope that if this tree is cut down it may be used for a flagpole to keep our glorious banner in the breeze, or be built into a cottage where love will abide; or, if it must be burnt, that it will blaze on the hearthstone in a home where children play in the sunlight on the floor.

ENOS A. MILLS.

We learn in the news that a lady whose golden wedding anniversary occurs this week "was born on the Villerie plantation near New Orleans, in the room in which, years before, the body of Gen. Packenham of Revolutionary fame, who was killed in the battle of New Orleans, lay in state." Probably Gen. Packenham packing too many wars.

Overheard at Mounds, Ill., a few days after the bank robbery there:

"I just tell you—all dat job was done wid a great velocity."

"Man, what you call velocity?"

"Why velocity—dat's what you let go of a bee wid."

G. A. M.

Republicans in Washington are reported not to have been surprised by the result in the Third Missouri District, since the Republicans had no one to offset the two Cabinet officers used by the Democrats in the campaign. Is a Cabinet officer really so big? We would not guess it by the way they are bounced.

Sign along Santa Fe Trail near San Bernardino, Cal.

Beds—15c with Springs 25c.

Sign in Los Angeles in restaurant window:

Coffee and 3 Snails 5c.

I found that snails were built on the pretzel order.

Sacramento, Cal.

Sign on Park avenue:

Traffic Trucks

Signs readily adapt themselves to the times.

Here is a variation from South Broadway of the sign we had from Moberly, Mo., the other day.

The Moberly locksmith did not use the hyphen—always the difference between the humorist who suggests to the community what it really sees, and the layman, who is afraid people won't see it and submit a diagram of some sort.

I make all kinds of keys but whisk-keys.

Sign at Kirkwood—evidently a firm in general repairs:

Jobber & Jobbing

Movie theater sign in the West End:

Come See

Mary's Ankie

the third

Douglas McLean Production

Sign: I am not a sign hunter, but there is one across from the new courthouse on Market street over a secondhand store which reads:

We buy, Sell and Exchanged everything:

Can I exchange this for a number? H. J. J.

Sign: A sign in Ullin, Ill.

Cooksport & Henson

Will buy your poultry

Sign: In Kansas City the other day I noticed over a shop—butter or barber—this sign in the negro quarter:

Barbercued Meat Sold Here

If it was a meat market perhaps (and naturally) the proprietor does his butchering with a razor. In return for much diversion.

THE LIE.

It's the lie that you are, and the lie that you feign.

Which beats in my heart like the patter of rain; And the dum-y-dum throb is a needle's pain. The shot and the glow of loving in vain.

With the eyes of a woman that God has caressed.

And heart of a friend no loving has blessed.

You've withered your flowers, you've wasted your best;

You've never known living that's sobbed in my breast.

Yet your window is high—as my spirits are low, And little you care for me any more below.

And God in His mercy will see you won't know The horror of loving from chasms of snow.

ALAN HERBERT.

The MIRROR of PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to reproduce without bias the latest comment by the leading publicists, newspapers and periodicals on the questions of the day.

PROGRESS OF MEDICINE.

Dr. William J. Mayo in North American Review. We pride ourselves on our advancing civilization and intellectual superiority. If we are to continue to advance, the public health service must be made the first function of the state.

In the work of the medical profession lies the best hope for the future. Since the close of the Civil War, 15 years have been added to the average length of human life. With present knowledge, and present conditions, 15 years more might be added to the life of man in this country within the next 20 years. It is certain that 10 years will be added, at the most productive age from the standpoint of industry, and will greatly aid in maintaining our position as the most productive nation. When I was a boy it was difficult for a man of 40 to find a new job, and for a man of 50 it was practically impossible. Today the older men are great assets to the country. In the prolongation of their lives, their skill and experience in their particular work counts for much. They are less inflammable, they have family ties and responsibilities—they have something to lose—so that they are less under the influence of the violent agitator. If, as a nation, we advance the time of production for each person 10 years, we can well afford to shorten hours of work and improve living conditions, and we shall be able to compete with those countries in which long hours and poor living conditions shorten human life, and eventually decrease production and increase social unrest.

The public has been almost unconscious of the growth of preventive medicine and public hygiene, and but little has been accomplished along these lines in comparison with all that may be done. Smallpox can be wiped from the earth; this has been done in Germany. The continuation of the disease in any country is a disgrace; it is due to the ignorance and prejudice of some, and the indifference and selfishness of others. The examination of school children and the giving of instruction with regard to teeth, tonsils, etc., is of primary importance in guarding against infections, infections which are responsible for those metabolic changes which later result in disease of the nervous system, and of the heart and kidneys.

Certainly 50 per cent of all sickness is preventable, and it is the duty of the state to guard the health of its citizens through the prevention of disease. The people should be made to understand that the state is culpable if its citizens are allowed to become ill through manifest neglect.

EUROPEAN RECONSTRUCTION.

H. N. Brailsford in the New Republic. IF it were possible to hope that the democracy of the United States had the instinct, and the leaders the diplomatic resource to make American participation in an international loan contingent upon political conditions, America might yet write her signature below a great and constructive peace plan. It means let the peoples and governments of Europe be required to practice mutual aid. Let the British Empire shoulder its full share of the sacrifices and the risks. There is, however, among European Powers none which has the capacity for leadership, none which has the material resources, to indicate as a condition of financial help, the necessary political changes. The American republic alone stands out, alike by its wealth and its aloofness from our many selfishnesses, with the power and the moral authority to enforce the political preliminaries of any economic reconstruction. If the Russian war could be ended, the indemnities could be reduced and free trade could be restored over that needy central area, a relatively modest loan might suffice to restart work in Europe.

HOW CAN WE HELP?

BY

"I suppose," who is a real everything trouble is one new

"To be a good woman shall be natural hunch. figure out for her broken her neck fingers to the bone methods were all been a curse, and has kept him from

"Of course the faithful, and devoted and industrious, potato parings, she us that this simple it works.

"We see that husbands are those doing it appears to the shrews and while Patient Gris

"I AM moved from the money to pay your husband by the seen a good woman ing her conscient perfect wife and a Band, utterly ruin seen a selfish brute a man.

"I have a friend that a woman should cultured, refined, trooled, and with of duty. She man turned out to be pered and lazy.

"My friend is not but because family were vulgar and night, she encoura in his tempers by a ject of dispute and rather than see his his shameful rages.

that he was offer than in one and the money to pay went to work rather ent on her relative when husband dis could support the l aside and let her d

"Now my friend a son, who under of treatment she h father grew up to and disagreeable a ther.

"This precious wife a couple of years a kick out a woman He married a little with snapping pale had worked her wa girl to head sales ment of a big store overburdened with r fate sensibilities, or of hurting any one And she had a tem of fireworks.

HOME ECONOMICS
By Mrs. Elizabeth

Purchasing Kitchen
As an old house to a new room your kitchen equip furnish rather than Study the size, shape and price of every such things as are and clear. Becom loves beauty in her ments, choose a enameled ware and Blue is pretty, white

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SALAD
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yourself what a fat chance
he has to cut in on the purchase
of the new stadium.
Gambling on baseball games will
be stamped out as long as
the "A" and "B" are al-
lowed to continue making these
big bets that they are always
winning up to the sporting editor
decide.

And another thing, "A" never
wins with anybody but "B." It
wonder he wouldn't take a crack
at "C" or "D" once in a while.

At any rate "A" and "B" are the
guys who put the bet in alphabet.
TIN-HORN SPORTS.
All the pests beneath the
skies
that ever pestered me;
I dread those pesky sportsy guys,
a well-known "A" and "B."

arguments they always get,
in matters intricate;
and then they never pay a bet
they're making wages every-
where.
More peculiar sorts;
but we have never seen this pair
of famous ill-behaved sports.

A LONG RUN.
We're going to have a chance
to see Jack Dempsey in a 16-
pound thriller. At any rate, Jack
will give us a longer run for our
money in the reel than he does in
the ring where he usually knocks
us out in the first episode.

No, Erastus, there is nothing
in the league of nations that would
prevent Benny Leonard and John
Dundee having their regular
sector or set-tos or however you
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You can now get
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TODAY'S BOND

SALES IN NEW YORK

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Following is a list
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Exchange, with the high, low, closing prices
and net change for the day:

BONDS. Sales High Low Close Net
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U.S. 4 1/2% 100 100 100 100 0
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U.S. 3% 100 100 100 100 0
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U.S. 1 1/2% 100 100 100 100 0
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U.S. 3/4% 100 100 100 100 0

U.S. 1/2% 100 100 100 100 0
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U.S. 1/8% 100 100 100 100 0

U.S. 1/16% 100 100 100 100 0
U.S. 1/32% 100 100 100 100 0
U.S. 1/64% 100 100 100 100 0

U.S. 1/128% 100 100 100 100 0
U.S. 1/256% 100 100 100 100 0
U.S. 1/512% 100 100 100 100 0

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MORE TRUTH THAN POETRY

By James J. Montague.



FRIENDSHIP.

There is hardly a statesman who wouldn't prefer
The private kind of a life
To the scramble and rush through the crowds and the crush
In the whirl of political strife.
In all our acquaintances with men of affairs
There isn't a solon—not one
Who would start in the race for political place
If his friends didn't force him to run.

They are fond of their homes and their wives and their kids,
And absorbed in their business affairs;
In serving the state they'd be bent with the weight
Of burdensome troubles and cares;
But their meddlesome friends never let them alone;
With unwelcome plaudits and cheers
They are roused from their sleep and are driven—like sheep—
To embark on official careers.

They all are alike—they are sweetly content
To toil in their lowly positions;
They've frequently sworn that they always would scorn
To nurse presidential ambitions;
But sooner or later their friends come along
With loud and tumultuous acclaim,
And despite their disgust, they are ruthlessly thrust
To the heights of political fame.

Oh! Friendship! What crimes have been done in thy name;
What statesmen who never could bear
An ambitious thought, you've remorselessly caught,
And slammed in the President's chair!
Our friends, are a totally different sort,
We don't have to do as they bid;
They don't give a cuss about office for us,
Yet somehow, we wish that they did!



IF HAPPENS EVERY FOUR YEARS.

Bryan is himself again.

THE GRAND OPPORTUNITY.
When druggists charge 50 cents
for 2 cents' worth of baking soda,
what can you expect when they are
asked to fill a whisky prescription.

A TOUGH PROBLEM.
Charles Warren Fairbanks has
passed on and the G. O. P. is going
to have a lot of trouble finding a
candidate for the vice presidency.
ESPECIALLY NOWADAYS.
It's a wise politician that knows
his own party.

Osculatory.

The gob was on shore leave and
happy because he had found a girl
as affectionate as he. His joy was
dimmed, however, for a bluecoat had
forbidden spooning in the park, and
his girl had tabued it in the streets.
But life took a new turn when he
saw a man kiss his wife farewell in
front of the Pennsylvania Station,
New York. He rushed his girl toward
a crowd hurrying toward the
Philadelphia express, and bade her
a fond farewell. When the crowd
thinned, they joined a throng for
Washington, and repeated the act.
They repeated it again before the
Chicago train.

This was too much for a colored
porter who had been watching. He
stepped up to the gob. "Boss," he
said, "why don't you go downstairs
and try the Long Island Station?
Den local trains are a-leavin' mos'
at de there." "Pawwode's!"

Or Saw a Pitcher Winding Up.
"Yes, I was on the battlement when
she cleared for action and I assure
you it is the most thrilling and im-
pressive moment you can conceive."
"Huh! I guess you never stood by
when a golf club champion was get-
ting ready to drive."—Boston Trans-
cript.

Educational.

"You say this is an educational
film?"
"Yes," replied the movie magnate,
blandly.
"But it features a 'vampire.'"
"Exactly. We're trying to make
the world safe for married men."—
Los Angeles Times.

Ouch!

Mr. Saphedde: Do you think men
have descended from monkeys?
Miss Caustique: Not very far.—
London Tit-Bits.

The Family Became Almost Respectful in Their Manner Toward Dad.



"SAY, POP!"—WILLIE HAS AN AMBITION, BUT NOT THE KIND UNCLE SILAS THINKS.—By C. M. PAYNE.



HOME, SWEET HOME—THIS TIME, GEORGE LITERALLY PUT HIS FOOT IN IT.—By TUTHILL.



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